GET the 1938 Chevrolet Particulars before you buy a Car or Truck

FAR EAST MOTORS
THE FAR EAST AVIATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
20, Nathan Rd., Kowloon. Telephone 59101.

Manager
"Hongkong Telegraph"
Daily Telegraph Ltd. Morning Post, Ltd.,
Telephone No. 30341 Street, Hongkong.

High Water:—13.48.
Low Water:—18.30.

FIRST EDITION

The Hongkong Telegraph.

Library, Supreme Court

FOUNDED 1881 No. 15611 三拜禮 號一卅月八英港香 WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1938. 日七初月七閏 SINGLE COPY 10 CENTS $30.00 PER ANNUM

JUBILEE 1938 DUNLOP 50 YEARS OF GROWTH
DUNLOP Fort
The Tyre with 2,000 Teeth

SUDETENS TO REJECT CZECH PROPOSALS

MINORITY WANTS INDEPENDENCE, SELF-GOVERNMENT

France Favours Joint Show Of Strength with British Aid; To Question Wavering Nations

PRAGUE, AUG. 30.

IT IS LEARNED THAT THE SUDETENS HAVE DECIDED TO REJECT THE NEW PROPOSALS BY THE CZECH GOVERNMENT.

ACCORDING TO SOURCES HERE, THE SUDETENS HAVE DECIDED TO PUSH FOR SELF-GOVERNMENT ON LINES SIMILAR TO THE QUASI-INDEPENDENCE ENJOYED BY THE FORMER IRISH FREE STATE (EIRE).—*United Press.*

Paris, Aug. 30.

After a four hour meeting to-day, the French Cabinet decided to make an effort to line up the democracies of the world in a determined front to warn Germany of the consequences of an invasion of Czecho-Slovakia.

A cautious *communique* unanimously approves of M. Bonnet's "precise definition of French foreign policy and his instructions to French Ambassadors."

These instructions, it is learned from reliable sources, involve, firstly, the informing of all friendly Governments, especially Poland, Rumania, and Yugo-Slavia, whose attitude is wavering, that France intends to comply with her obligations to Czecho-Slovakia and, secondly, the Governments involved will be asked to define their own positions clearly in the case of a German attack on Czecho-Slovakia.
—*United Press.*

BRITAIN TO FOLLOW SUIT

London, Later.

It is disclosed that Britain is preparing to consult Poland, and probably Yugo-Slavia, Rumania and other interested Powers, regarding their attitude in the event of war with Germany.

The Cabinet has issued fresh instructions to the British Ambassador in Berlin, Sir Nevile Henderson, regarding a more direct warning to Herr Hitler.—*United Press.*

Contemplate Show Of Strength

Paris, Aug. 30.

It is reported that the French Cabinet is considering the advisability of a display of strength, either by the French and British navies or armies, as a reply to the German manoeuvres, and a silent warning of the dangers of a German attack on Czecho-Slovakia.

If such a step is adopted it will be accompanied by a final, cautionary Note, worded as strongly as possible.

In addition, the French Government is believed to be contemplating a new public declaration of military assistance to Czecho-Slovakia in the event of an invasion of that country.
—*United Press.*

Italy Won't Fight

Paris, Aug. 30.

It is reliably learned that Signor Mussolini has warned Herr Henlein, the Sudeten leader, that Italy will

(Continued on Page 4.)

French Dockers Refuse New Hours of Work

Marseilles, Aug. 30.

A meeting of dockers this evening decided to refuse to comply with the new hours of work and overtime scale.

BRITISH CABINET SILENT

Nothing To Add To Simon's Last Statement

While Hope Of Peace Exists

London, Aug. 30.

It is understood that after Sir John Simon's speech on Saturday, to-day's *communique* by the British Government will make no further statement, as long as there is any chance of achieving a settlement of the Czech problem.

Reuter is informed that the Government still hopes and believes that such a chance exists, but it depends, firstly, on the extent and reality of the concessions the Czech Government is making or is prepared to make, and, secondly, on the extent and nature of the influence exerted from outside on the Sudeten-Germans, and on the spirit with which the Sudetens meet the Czech Government proposals.

There is no tendency in London to minimize or exaggerate the gravity of the decisions which have to be taken in the immediate future by both

(Continued on Page 4.)

GERMANY PLUNGED IN GLOOM

Berlin Believes Britain Siding With Czechs

Berlin, Aug. 30.

The mood of pessimism noted in German circles just now has, if anything, deepened by the news of the emergency meeting of the British Cabinet, which is regarded as confirming the view that the British Government has sided with the Czechs.

"Before we can express an opinion, however, we must see what Dr. Edouard Benes is offering the Sudetens," one authority told Reuter.

"The situation is ripe for a solution of the problem," he added.

Dr. Goebbels' newspaper, *Der Angriff*, shoulders the burden of the German anti-Czech campaign with a tirade more fierce than ever, while the tone adopted by other newspapers is noticeably less violent.

Der Angriff's London Correspondent reports that the British Ambassador, Sir Nevile Henderson, will, on his return to Berlin, present a statement to the Foreign Office which the British Cabinet has approved.

Meanwhile, the Press attacks on [illegible]

U.S. Navy May Request More Building Funds

Washington, Aug. 30.

Admiral William D. Leahy, Chief of Staff of the U.S. Navy, stated to-day that it is expected that Congress will be asked for an increase of U.S.$300,000,000 in funds providing for the fleet expansion programme.

Admiral Leahy's statement was made after he had conferred with President Roosevelt.

Garbage Can Blast "Rocks" Budapest

Budapest, Aug. 30.

Budapest is laughing uproariously at the "attempted assassination of Dr. Horthy" story.

The harmless explosion of a garbage can near the former Royal Palace resulted in the rumours of an assassination attempt being spread. By the time the rumours reached other capitals the explosion had become one "that rocked Budapest."—*United Press.*

AMERICA MAY TRY TO AVERT COLLISION

Hull And Roosevelt In Conference

Europe's Danger Not Minimized

Washington, Aug. 30.

President Roosevelt to-day conferred with Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, who went to the White House after reading the latest despatches from Europe.

It is expected that the U.S. Ambassador in London, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, will report to President Roosevelt to-day on his interview with the British Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain.

The American Ambassadors in Berlin and Prague are also closely watching and reporting on the situation, whose extreme gravity nobody here attempts to minimize.

There is some speculation whether the United States Government will undertake more specific action in an effort to maintain peace. Such action might take the form of a direct appeal to Berlin and Prague by President Roosevelt or Mr. Cordell Hull.

Although officials naturally decline confirmation it is widely felt here that President Roosevelt would not permit Europe to drift into war without raising his voice and at least putting on record the abhorrence the American people will feel for any leader or leaders who deliberately break peace.—Reuter.

U.S. Ambassador Sees Mr. Chamberlain

London, Aug. 30.

The U. S. Ambassador, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, saw Mr. Neville Chamberlain this afternoon.

The British Ambassador to Germany, Sir Nevile Henderson, was present at the meeting.—Reuter.

Fully Informed

London, Aug. 30.

Ostensibly on a routine call, the U.S. Ambassador, Mr. Joseph P.

(Continued on Page 4.)

British Navy Prepares for Manoeuvres

PLEADING FOR THEIR LIVES, these terrified peasants have gone on their knees before a Japanese sentry. They have good reason for fear, knowing the sure fate of suspected guerillas. This photograph was sent from North China by an unofficial and neutral correspondent, together with one showing the beheading of a Chinese guerilla suspect by a Japanese swordsman.

HONGKONG MAY SCOUT WEATHER TEN MILES HIGH, FROM BALLOON

TO INCREASE the accuracy of weather forecasting in Malaya and to make the skies safer for fliers, the Malayan Meteorological Service is experimenting with the world's most modern system of obtaining readings of pressure, temperature and humidity from heights as great as ten miles and more.

It is likely that Singapore will be the first city in the East to adopt the system, although it probably will be taken up shortly afterwards by the observatories at Batavia, Hongkong and Manila.

However, when interviewed, the Director of the Royal Observatory, Mr. C. W. Jeffries, said that he was not in a position to state when Hongkong would adopt the system.

A SMALL automatic radio transmitter is sent up by balloon in the new system. As it rises, at the rate of 100 or 300 feet a minute, the transmitter sends out a continuous record of temperature, atmospheric pressure and humidity, says the Singapore *Sunday Times.*

The balloon should reach the stratosphere in about two hours, the time depending on the height of the stratosphere, which varies continuously.

A new radio set and balloon have to be used every day, as neither can be recovered after disappearing into the stratosphere.

FIRST BALLOON THIS MONTH

It is hoped the first balloon will be released in Singapore before the end of next month. Daily releases will not follow until some time later. A daily release is estimated at present to cost £2,500 a year, but research and development proceeding in all parts of the world are likely to appreciably reduce this figure.

Singapore weather forecasters at present obtain data from ground level up to 12,000 feet every morning from a Royal Air Force pilot who takes up a Vickers Vildebeeste torpedo bomber from No. 100 Squadron.

But modern forecasters want to go higher than aeroplanes can take them.

FORMER DEVICE

Many observatories in different parts of the world, including Batavia, for a long time have used a device attached to a balloon basket which records on paper particulars of upper atmosphere pressure, temperature and humidity.

The balloon, which has been known to obtain readings from as much as 29 miles above the earth, comes down eventually and is sometimes returned to the observatory within two days, but often not for weeks. This time factor naturally limits the research value of the data secured and makes it useless for a daily weather service.

(Continued on Page 4.)

Kwangtung Officials Visit Colony

Refurning Call Of Governor

General Wu Teh-chen, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, and Mr. Tseng Yang-fu, Mayor of Canton, arrived here last night by special train on the Canton-Kowloon railway. The party left Canton at 7.18 p.m. yesterday and reached the Kowloon station at 10.56 o'clock when they were greeted by a large gathering of Chinese and foreign friends.

It is reported that General Wu and Mayor Tseng to-day will call on Sir Geoffry Northcote, who paid an unofficial visit to Canton last month. The two Chinese officials' present visit to Hongkong is understood to be a courtesy return call.

During their stay in the Colony, it is also reported, General Wu and Mayor Tseng will pay their respects to the dead in the Kweilin disaster, and will also visit various Chinese charity and patriotic organisations to which General Wu will convey, hearty acknowledgment from the Kwangtung people for their valuable and generous contribution to the country during the past few weeks.

"BRITAIN READY TO FIGHT"

Cabinet Decides To Warn Hitler, Says Authority

London, Aug. 30.

A usually reliable source states that the Cabinet has decided to undertake Naval preparations culminating in North Sea manoeuvres.

One high source told *United Press:* "I believe the Cabinet has shown that, if necessary, Great Britain is ready to fight."

It is believed that the limit of efforts decided on by to-day's emergency meeting of the Cabinet was that Herr Hitler should be warned that an invasion of Czecho-Slovakia would mean war.

It is obvious that London and Paris are in the closest harmony.

The debate during the Cabinet meeting did not betray signs of wavering and the Ministers were mainly engaged in evolving the technique necessary for the approach to Herr Hitler.

Cabinet adjourned at 1.40 p.m.

Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, remained at No. 10 Downing Street after the Cabinet had adjourned, and continued conversations with the Prime Minister.—*United Press.*

HITLER TO BE INFORMED

London, Aug. 30.

Some sources here believe that Herr Hitler is personally insufficiently appraised of the sentiment existing in London; hence it is understood that Sir Nevile Henderson has been instructed to try and see the German Chancellor personally, possibly to convey a friendly and personal letter from Mr. Chamberlain.—*United Press.*

BONNET'S POLICY APPROVED

Paris, Aug. 31.

Unanimous approval has been given by the French Cabinet to the policy followed during the past month by the Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bonnet.

It is learned in well-informed quarters that, following the Cabinet

(Continued on Page 4.)

STOP PRESS

British Will Fight Beside French Army

London, Aug. 31.

The British Cabinet has instructed Sir Nevile Henderson to inform the German Government that, if the necessity arose, "this country is ready to fight if France is involved in war as a result of German aggression in Czecho-Slovakia."

The British warning, which is couched in the firmest language the country has used towards Germany since 1914, will not be delivered if tension eases before the Ambassador return to Berlin.
—*United Press.*

Duchess Leaves For Swatow

H.M.S. Duchess has left Hongkong on a routine visit to Swatow.

(Further Stop Press News on Page 12.)

Something simple for Summer

SUCCESSFUL summer caterers arrange for simple dishes which save the goodness and flavour of garden foods.

Here is a week's daily dinner menu, in case your pencil starts wavering on this menu business. Featuring the foods we have at the moment, there is no strict relationship day to day, though you'll find an underlying streak of economy.

Sunday brings a roast, but with lamb we look for mint and jelly is a change from time-honoured sauce. Perhaps you made some last year when apples were plentiful? Anyway, it is simple enough.

If you've not tried green peas a la Francaise, there are lots of reasons why you should. Just spear an onion with two cloves, tie a morsel of muslin to enclose parsley, thyme, and half a bay leaf, and have a pound or more of ready shelled peas. Melt one ounce of butter in a pan, saute and partly cook the onion, then add the peas and toss in butter for a moment. Add the herb bouquet, and pour in about a gill of stock, simmering gently with the lid on till the peas are tender. Remove the onion and herbs, sprinkle half teaspoon of sugar, and you will find a mere dressing of stock remains, but the peas will glisten with butter. Hurry them to pare the potatoes while they are good and hot.

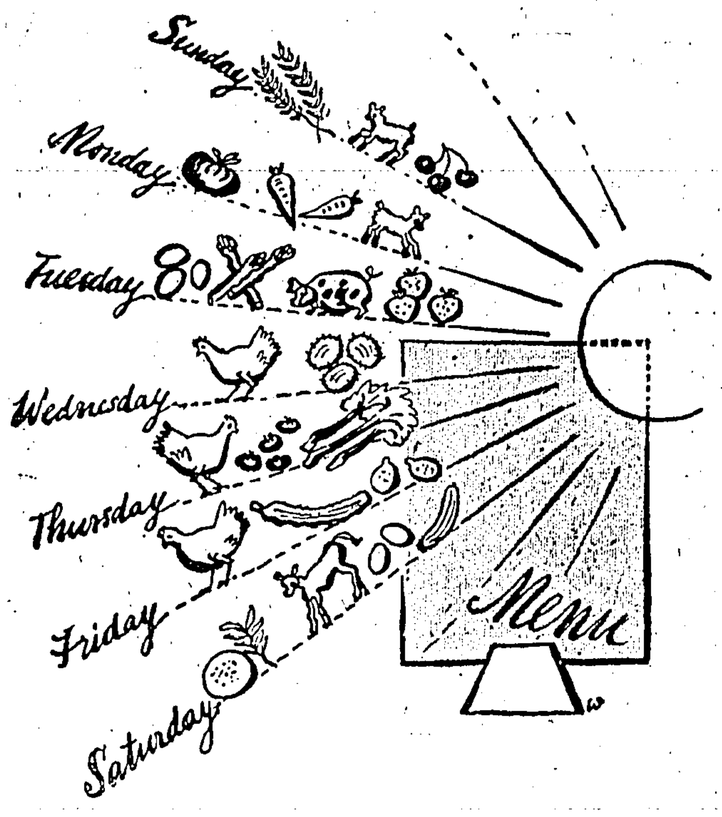
On potatoes—remember that new ones take a tossing in paprika if you tire of chopped parsley for them.

MONDAY'S meal grows from Sunday's left-over if you remember to set some slices on a decorative dish overnight or next morning. If aspic sounds remote to you, there's always the packet variety or perhaps some gelatine stiffening for rich-flavoured stock.

Summer salads need no elaboration, but a few glazed carrots pep things up a bit, especially if you remember a dash of ginger with them. Here is the way they go.

Cook some split and quartered medium-sized carrots in boiling salted water. When tender, drain and dress in equal parts melted butter and demerara sugar with a generous shake of ground ginger. Heat through at simmering rate till they take a glossy tan, then speed them on their way.

Coffee or maple meringue rescues week-end cake misfits in the kindliest way. Strong coffee or weak maple syrup, thickened with cornflour and enriched with egg yolk, enshrouds the sliced and layered cake. Arranged in a china souffle dish, with spreadings of chopped nuts and honey or apricot marmalade, it forms a succulent base for the meringued top, which is then baked a delicate crisp brown at quite the lowest pace. (Bottom shelf of Regulo 5 if you have other things "adoing" in the oven.)



THEN the time arrives for a meatless meal, so try creamed eggs and asparagus. Bacon rolls or ham enter for another occasion. Simply hard boil two eggs for each person and quarter them, adding a well-flavoured bechamel or white sauce. Diced cooked ham or bacon and prepared or canned asparagus are the other items.

Individual portions served on toast or square cracker biscuits make a good impression, but the whole could be turned into a fireproof dish, circled with toast sippets or tiny bacon rolls and asparagus tips.

Strawberries or raspberries need the simplest serving of all. Next time you bake at home turn some cake mixture into dariole tins for a batch of cup cakes. These scoop out to make pannier baskets for the berries. Small strawberries sliced, seasoned with lemon juice and stirred lightly into sweetened and whipped cream, pile into these cases and make most delectable eating. For dress occasions you could make angelica leaves and handles, and set the dessert of little ice plates with green leaf doileys.

WEDNESDAY'S choice is a fowl or chicken, with gooseberry shape as outlet for the "surplus bread" problem. It is a variation of the well-worn summer pudding, so choose a deep melon or blancmange mould and line it with moderately thick slices of crustless bread. Layers of hot syrup-stewed gooseberries are sandwiched and topped with the bread, then weighted down and left overnight. It then turns out for decoration with lines of forced whipped cream or custard coating.

In case you have not tried a cornflour mock cream, here is the formula. One gill of milk thickened with a dessertspoon of cornflour, and allowed to cool while a dessertspoon of caster sugar is creamed with an ounce of butter till white and loose. The cooled cornflour sauce is then added, spoon at a time, and whisked till creamy and smooth. A pinch of salt with vanilla flavouring is an improvement, and if it is used at once the substitute forces through a cream pipe most convincingly.

SALMON and cucumber is traditional, but jellied cucumber is a pleasant change. You either set it in a ring mould, or make little castles and stuff the centres. Creamed shrimp is fine for a change.

For two good sized grated cucumbers take half a gill of water with 2 added tablespoons of vinegar, and a teaspoon of onion juice, with salt, pepper and a trace of green colouring. A ¼oz. of gelatine is sufficient to set these ingredients.

If you have a soft spot for Lemon Chiffon Pie you'll fall for it more than ever in a cornflake pastry case. Take an 8in. square cake tin, or a large pie plate, and melt 2oz. butter in it. Mix 6 gills of crushed and sieved cornflakes mixed with 2oz. caster sugar and half a teaspoon of cinnamon, then stir them into the butter, pressing till evenly absorbed. Reserve sufficient for dressing the top of the pie, then coat the sides and bottom of the tin and proceed as usual. It is best to set and chill the pie some three hours before you plan to serve it.

Ann Marvel

How To Cater For The Week During The Hot Days

Here are some suggestions for each day of the week

Sunday

Cream of corn soup. Shoulder of lamb, mint jelly, new potatoes. Green peas—the French way. Cherry tartlets, glazed with conserve.

Monday

Tomato and rice soup, or tomato bouillon. Sliced lamb in aspic. Summer salad: glazed and gingered carrots. Coffee apricot meringue (using leftover sponge or cake).

Tuesday

Spinach puree. Creamed eggs and asparagus, with grilled bacon rolls. Strawberry panniers (filled cake "baskets").

Wednesday

Summer soup. Fowl or chicken fricassee. Gooseberry shape, with mock cream decoration.

Thursday

Chicken jelly squares. Rice, ham and whole tomato salad (the baby English ones). New potatoes. Hot rhubarb platetart (made with flaky pastry, and ginger flavouring). Cheese and biscuits.

Friday

Chicken broth with mushrooms. Cold salmon. Cucumber jelly (moulded ring or individual jellies stuffed with mayonnaised salad). Potatoes. Lemon chiffon pie, with cornflake pastry.

Saturday

Orange and mint appetiser. Veal cutlets, spaghetti milanese, new potatoes. Souffle omelette, banana filling. Cheese straws. Coffee.

VALUES VALUES
FOR THE LAST FEW DAYS
GREAT SALE
DAY DRESSES FROM $8.00
EVENING DRESSES FROM $10.00
HATS FROM $5.00
FLOWERS FROM $1.00
EVERYTHING AT BARGAIN PRICES
RIVELLE
Gloucester Arcade.

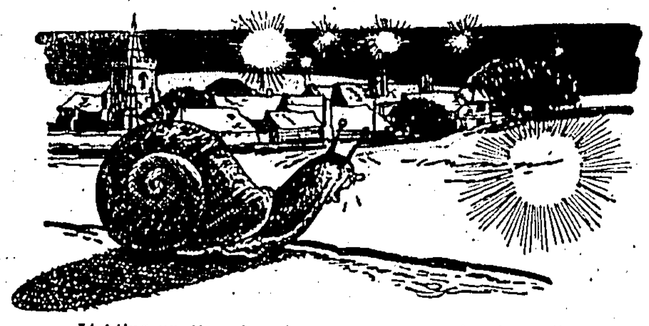
Summer Clothes
Need
Proper Attention!

Summer clothes need very careful cleaning. The light colours and summer fabrics should so be handled as to prevent damage, fading and shrinking. Our efficient ZORIC odourless system cleanses the fabrics of dirt and grease and makes them their original air-conditioned selves again.

ZORIC cleaned clothes keep you cool
THE
STEAM LAUNDRY Co.

Head Office Tel. 57032
Kowloon Depot Tel. 58545
Hongkong Depot Tel. 21279
Peak Depot Tel. 29352

For BOYS and GIRLS



Lighting-up time for glow-worms—a warning to snails.

DANGER LIGHT *for SNAILS*

NOT everyone finds the glow-worm's soft, greenish-gold "lamp" either pleasing or beautiful. For snails it ought to shine a warning red. Because the glow-worm is greatly partial to a snail feast.

She creeps, ghostlike, upon Snaily, sitting pretty inside his brittle shell. She doesn't knock at his door, but, with most unladylike ferocity, gnaws through his filmy entrance, and finally eats him out of hearth and home—out of existence!

Midsummer is the glow-worm's "lighting-up" time. Here and there, about moors, chalky downs, country lanes and dells, you may discover either one or a dozen together, mounted upon grassy blades, and beaming upon the stars.

Beetle Family

Luckily for their owner, this remarkable "lamp" gives out no warmth, but is cold as stone. For if it emitted heat in proportion to its shining power, like, say, a candle flame, the glow-worm would be scorched to death.

Among our native glow-worms, the female always has the finest "lamp." A queer creature. She has neither wings nor wing covers, and, with her tapering, fatty body divided into nine or ten segments, looks more like a caterpillar than a beetle, her true genus.

However, the male insect, whose power of radiation is feeble indeed, wears dark wing shields, goes foraging by air, and is a beetle of most gentle manners, judging by his lack of stag-like jaws and other visible beetle "armaments."

When her tail cells are properly aglow, one "worm" gives sufficient light, when placed eight inches away, for you to read your watch on a pitch dark night. Thomas Hardy, the great Wessex novelist, describes a scene whereby two men threw their dice in darkness upon an open heath. They caught and put glow-worms upon a stone to serve as their lanterns.

Glow-worm eggs, too, are slightly luminous. Perhaps their glow, hinting at the mysterious, acts as a keep-off sign to inquisitive birds. And, a shade more prominently, the glow-worm's larvæ or grubs give off the same uncanny radiance.

These creeping "lamps" also spell ruin to snails. While, for devouring slugs, another popular item on their menu, baby glow-worms are gifted with bristly back feet (these resemble a set of brushes in miniature) so that, without any bother, they can clamber up a slug's slippery back and settle down to the business of eating.

All A-Glowing

Thanks to these habits, we may put glow-worms in our gardens and treat them as pets. For as allies in the unending warfare against slugs and snails, they pay their rent not in cash but in enemies slain several times weekly. That's the sort of tenant gardeners like.

Then their soft beauty, so lovely, serene and mysterious, must surely rouse fairies from their beds and bring troupes of elfin dancers on to the lawn to revel by glow-worm light and to grasshopper music!

Do you day-dream?

HOPE may "spring eternal in the human breast," but its encouragement to remain there should be decided by its nature.

There is the quite legitimate hope that some particular undertaking or enterprise may prove successful; this to be coupled by an effort to bring such hope to fulfilment. On the other hand, there is the hope which comes from the land of never-never and results in the practice of day-dreaming—a habit which grows apace and sups slowly and insidiously the vital energy of the dreamer.

These hope-dreams vary in accordance with the particular temperament which encourages them. With one they may take the form of vast possessions, and here the life lived in fancy's realm will be of regal pretensions. With another social success colours the brain horizon, while yet a third will be invested with some marvellous talent that will ensure a world-wide popularity and excite the envy of all and sundry folk around.

ALL very silly this never-never land of the impossible, but at the same time all very fascinating to those people who inhabit its realm.

It often happens that those who indulge in day-dreaming have been disappointed and disillusioned in the life they actually lead and resort to creating a world of their own in compensation for the loss of that state of life in which they would wish to find themselves. In short, they are the discontented members of the community, yet make no effort to help themselves or better their conditions of life and so in some measure achieve the hopes they foster so futilely.

Day-dreaming often fills the mind to the exclusion of other and more profitable considerations. Opportunities that come are overlooked and lost.

Is it any wonder that success in any direction passes these day-dreamers by? Yet from their own point of view blame is never attaching to themselves—they are born unlucky—fate is against them, and, commonest plea of all—nobody ever helps them. What help can be given when a mind is prone to fantastic orgies of its own is difficult to imagine.

Perhaps, most serious of all, is the fact that unchecked day-dreaming leads to mental deterioration. The brain becomes so focused on the impossible that it loses its capacity to judge the true value of mundane things rationally. All is distorted and subservient to the never-never land, and the dreamer becomes unreliable both in social and business life and in domestic relations.

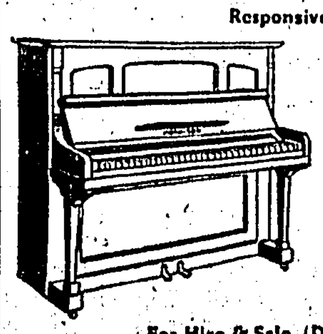
FOR those who indulge in this dangerous form of recreation the best advice is to give it up—come back to earth and leave the realms of fancy to poets, painters and those who make word pictures for profit and livelihood. It may be difficult to stage a world of realism, after a long sojourn of hope in the never-never, but it is more than worth while.

In the case of children, who revel in the land of make-believe, wise direction is necessary to ensure that the habit does not assume undue proportions by and by. Faith in fairies is a childhood's idyll, but the child who wants to pretend it is something else all the time is stepping out on to a road that leads nowhere.

Playing at grown-ups is harmless, since one day they will be grown-up, and this game affords opportunities to point a moral and adorn a tale without in any way impairing its attractions or diverting its charm. But pretending to be grand people, and possessing such things as only exceeding money can supply, should never be encouraged. Small folks' brains are quick and receptive and the cult of the impossible a very real lure to hope in the never-never.

For young and older folk alike hope is a spur that must never be overlooked, but it must be hope, centred in the possible and probable, whatever form it may take. The desire to win through and achieve an ultimate end makes the requisite striving worth while, and stimulates the brain to greater effort, even if all is not plain sailing by the way.

DESERVED POPULARITY
due to Perfect Tone, Excellent Design,
Responsive Touch, & Perfect Finish.



THE MORRISON PIANO
possesses in a marked degree every playing quality that makes for the greatest progress in practise and the ideal choice for the music teacher.
EXCHANGE YOUR PRESENT PIANO FOR A MORRISON.
For Hire & Sale (Deferred Payments)
TSANG FOOK PIANO COMPANY
Marina House, 19, Queen's Road C.
Tel. 24648.

COUNT THE
"TELEGRAPHS"
EVERYWHERE

SHELLY
POETRY
IN
CHINA

A BEAUTIFUL RANGE
OF TEA SETS AND COFFEE SETS
IN THE LATEST DESIGNS
ON DISPLAY AT
SINCERE'S
SECOND FLOOR

Expert
PLUMBING
COSTS LESS IN THE LONG RUN THAN MEDIOCRE WORK
WHETHER FOR REPAIRS, INSTALLATIONS OR THE MODERNISATION OF THE EXISTING SYSTEM, CONSULT
C. E. WARREN & Co., Ltd.
St. George's Building. Tel. 20269

Quicker!
and a shine as bright as lightning
BRASSO
METAL POLISH

GOLDEN HAREM BEAUTY BETRAYS 7-FT. BANDIT

THE man who for twenty years has spread terror and death throughout South America is dead, riddled by the bullets of Government troops a few miles outside Rio de Janeiro. It was a beautiful girl from his own harem who betrayed him.

No one knew his real name. Friends and enemies called him Lampeao—the "Lamp-post"—because he stood nearly seven feet tall.

Police records state that he has committed at least 115 murders.

His favourite weapon was the blowpipe, shooting a slender little dart tipped with curare, deadly vegetable poison he learned how to manufacture from the Brazilian Indians.

Ten years ago he made his famous death-drive through the streets of Bahia. His chief lieutenant drove the car. Lampeao sat in the back, looking like an innocent business man. The car went down the main street, past the cafes.

As he passed each one he raised his blowpipe to his lips, puffed, and the dart shot into the chattering crowd. Eight men and a woman died that day.

PREFERRED BLONDES

Lampeao kept a harem in the foothills of the Mato Grasso. It became notorious as the Golden Harem of the West.

Gold sent Lampeao almost mad. Whenever he raided banks he stole gold. Half of his haul was shared between himself and his gang. The rest went to ornament his harem.

When he kidnapped girls for the harem he picked blondes, rare in South America. He said their hair matched the mirrors made of polished gold which hung on the walls of the harem.

It was a girl from the Golden Harem who betrayed Lampeao. Over a year ago she heard him planning to raid a bank in Rio de Janeiro.

She escaped, took shelter with an Indian tribe, and was guided back to civilisation. There she told her story to the authorities.

JUNGLE WATCH

At once a squad of armed men were sent to guard the trail that led out of the jungle into Rio de Janeiro. For three months they camped there. Last week their scouts flashed a message that Lampeao and his men were coming.

The soldiers levelled their rifles and, as Lampeao rode out of the jungle, challenged him. Lampeao answered the challenge with a bullet. Twenty guns barked, and Lampeao slumped dead from his horse.

THEIR OWN AIR DAY

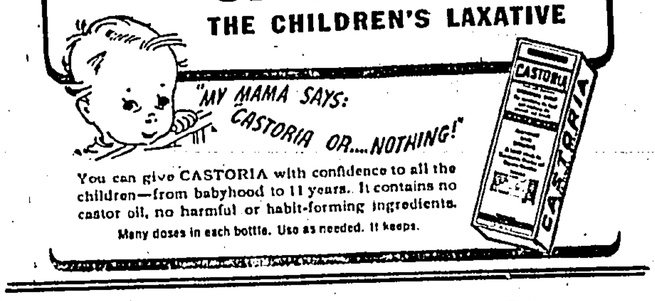
Driven by miniature petrol engines, some remarkable model aeroplanes were flown in the international competitions of the Society of Model Aeronautical Engineers at Heath Row Aerodrome, Middlesex. One of the models, looking like the real thing, is shown (top) in flight, while (above) a competitor is seen inflating the tyres of his entry.

I WON'T! I WON'T!

Fits of temper—tantrums—breaking up the party may not be serious to grown-ups but it's tragedy to childhood. There's something wrong with this "bridegroom". What he probably needs is CASTORIA, the children's laxative. Nervousness and fits of temper are not natural in children. At the first sign of irritation, temper, give them CASTORIA, the laxative made especially for children. It's pleasant, gentle, mild and thorough.

Don't let real tragedy grip your children. Insure their happiness with CASTORIA, the laxative which blends perfectly with their delicate, sensitive systems. Get a bottle today. Keep it in your home.

CASTORIA
THE CHILDREN'S LAXATIVE



You can give CASTORIA with confidence to all the children—from babyhood to 11 years. It contains no castor oil, no harmful or habit-forming ingredients.

Many doses in each bottle. Use as needed. It keeps.

SUCH beautiful HAIR

Hair styles of today make careful washing a necessity.

Ordinary soaps should be avoided. The free alkali they contain soon dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle and ruins it under the frequent shampooings necessary to keep the hair beautiful.

Discriminating women everywhere use Mulsified because its pure, natural and greaseless oils keep the scalp well nourished. Mulsified leaves the hair soft and easy to manage — preserves the natural wave and colour — makes it sparkle with new life, gloss and lustre.

Two or three teaspoonfuls gives an abundance of rich, creamy lather — cleanses thoroughly — completely removes dirt, dust and dandruff.

Don't envy the woman with beautiful hair. Make your hair the envy of others by shampooing with. . . .

Mulsified
COCOANUT OIL SHAMPOO

Epileptic Cured By Red Dye Drug

EPILEPSY may soon be completely curable—by Prontosil, the new red dye drug hailed by doctors as the greatest chemical discovery of the age. Prontosil has recently been tried out on a boy suffering from epilepsy by a Whitley Bay doctor, and the results, he claims, are "miraculous."

During the last four years special diets and a whole range of sleeping-drugs and bromides had been tried in increasing doses.

But there was no improvement. The boy continued to have fits, and his mental condition deteriorated.

FITS STOPPED

"In despair, 7½ grains of sulphanomide (prontosil) were given thrice daily," the doctor reports in *The British Medical Journal*.

"In three days the boy ceased to have either minor or major fits, but was very restless and had night terrors.

"The sulphanomide was stopped at the end of the week, and two days later he had two major fits. Treatment with sulphanomide was reinstituted. The boy has had no fits.

"The boy's mental condition shows definite improvement. After four years of depressing results with other drugs the action of sulphanomide appears nothing short of miraculous."

SECOND TRIUMPH

In the same journal a Rangoon doctor reports success with prontosil in the treatment of sinusitis, a painful infection of the bony cavities of the face and forehead.

The patient was suffering from acute pain and violent headaches. A surgical operation was proposed, but, instead, a course of treatment with the drug was tried.

Result: "The patient feels well and is about her household duties."

Britain's Best Bobsworth

"THIS is Britain's Best Bobsworth," said Sir Thomas Inskip, Minister of Defence, opening Navy Week at Portsmouth recently.

Speaking from Nelson's Victory, he said there was nothing the Navy would not or could not do.

"Those who lived in foreign parts know that when trouble occurs it is certain that one of our ships will soon appear, to the infinite relief of every man and woman of the community."

ONE FAMILY

Evans of the Broke (Admiral Sir E. Evans), opening Chatham's Navy Week, said the Navy was just "one great family united by the brotherhood of the sea."

He had shared triumph and disaster with the British bluejackets for 40 years. With them he had

Sledged over ice and snow for 2,000 miles.

Penetrated the African desert.
Sailed summer and tropic seas.
Flown over the Victoria Falls on the Zambesi.

Pitched and squirmed through the Arctic gales on Fishery Protection duty.

Great interest was shown at Plymouth in the wireless-controlled target battleship Centurion which steams at sea without any crew on board.

Attendante figures were: Portsmouth 14,038. Chatham, 8,437; Plymouth, 8,522. Total, 30,997; a record attendance for the first Saturday.

Sold Sausage to His Queen —Won Fame

Slough.

Twistled metal, shattered glass and broken bricks. That is all that remains of a little food shop in the High-street here from which a man sold sausages to Queen Victoria and won fame for himself.

John Harding, a noted local poulterer, evolved the recipe for the sausage.

Queen Victoria, connoisseur of food, was shopping at Windsor one week-end and ordered her groom to fetch some sausages from Harding's shop.

The Queen enjoyed them enormously, and from that day they became known as "The Harding Sausage." Their fame spread. They became regular favourites on the menu at every Royal dinner party.

ROYALTY'S FAREWELL

When the Queen went to Cowes she had them sent to her by express train from Slough.

The Queen recommended the sausages to her personal friends. If all Harding's famous customers had gathered together in his shop, it would have looked like a levee.

Queen Victoria died, but the "Harding Sausage" retained its popularity. It became the food of other monarchs. It was a favourite of King George V.

"They were the ordinary type of sausage in appearance, but it was the way we made them that mattered," Mr. William Harding, one of the sons, told me. What's the secret? Ah! that is a secret!"

His Food Bill is £1,452,687

Women who complain about housekeeping bills will not envy the job of the chief of the supplies department of the London County Council.

Last year he had to purchase food costing £1,452,687. This included

1,433,908lb. of butter,
9,730,920 eggs,
1,575,800lb. of bacon,
4,363,350lb. of sugar.

He has to cater for a population of 113,000 patients, inmates, and staff of the Council's hospitals and institutions, together with the educational requirements of 800,000 teachers, students, and school children.

Why Collars Wear Out

New York.

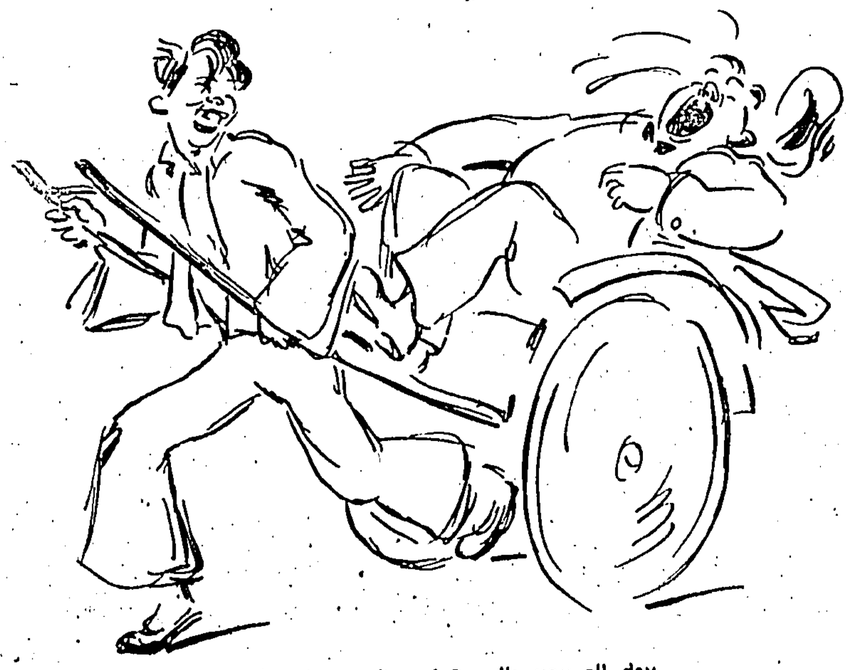
Mr. J. F. Oesterling, research expert at Pennsylvania State College, has a new theory to explain why shirt collars fray.

He says: "The man who shaves most will have the shirts that last longest. Neck whiskers catch the fabric of the shirt and shorten its life."

CAIRO

THE BEST EGYPTIAN CIGARETTE
Special Offer from Fresh Stock
JUST ARRIVED
SIMON ARZT
No. 70P
$1.60 only for a tin of 50
Much cheaper than in Egypt!
Cigar Stores
"La Perla del Oriente"

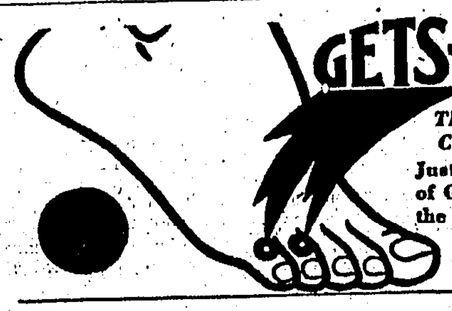
The Same In Every Land



Even the coolie who pulls you all day
Knows, when you sneeze, just what to say:
"Master, wantchee 'ASPIRIN'
BAYER'S goodie 'ASPIRIN',
Bimeby cold, he very quick go 'way."

Fifty Years of 1888 BAYER 1938 REMEDIES

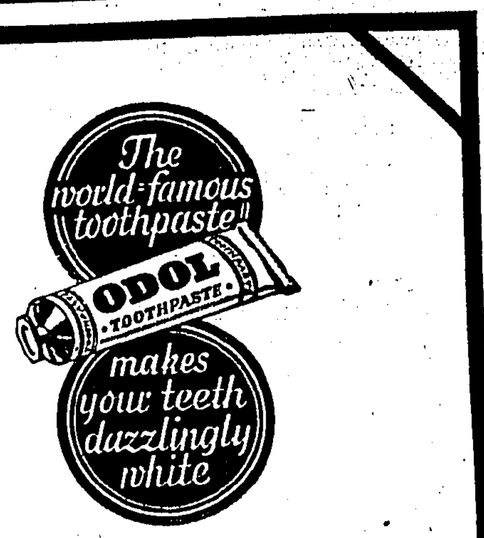
'ASPIRIN'
Bayer means Best



THE LIQUID CORN CURE

Just a few drops of Gets-It will kill the pain and your corn troubles will be ended!

1-11-B



Obtainable from any leading store:
China Agents:
CARLOWITZ & CO.
Tel. No. 31225.

THE HONGKONG
PENINSULA HOTEL;
HONGKONG HOTEL; REPULSE BAY HOTEL;
&
SHANGHAI
ASTOR HOUSE; PALACE HOTEL;
HOTELS
LIMITED.
In association with the Grand Hotel des Wagons Lits, Peking

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

25 words $2.00

for 3 days prepaid

SITUATIONS VACANT.

COOK-HOUSEBOY, house coolie and kitchen coolie wanted. Must be able to give names of local residents as references. Please send recommendations or applications to Box No. 482, "Hongkong Telegraph."

GODOWN TO LET.

GODOWN TO LET.—A new three storeyed spacious godown, 26 by 84 feet, at No. 103, Connaught Road, West. Apply to 58A, Bonham Strand West.

MOTOR CARS.

OPPORTUNITY. Ford V8 De Luxe Roadster, 2-seater, 1934, mileage 14,000, inside and outside condition new. Tyres and engine like new. Consumption 19 miles per gallon. Best offer. Apply Box No. 481, "Hongkong Telegraph."

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

mond (Traditional)....Dora Labbette (Soprano) with Piano.

8.25 Studio—Wing-Comdr. Steele-Perkins, A. R. P. Officer On The Forthcoming "Black Out."

8.40 Concert Waltzes.

Waldeslust, Waltzer (Arr. W. Schlesinger); Wiener Prater Leben, Walzer (S. Translateur)....Columbia Salon Orchester; Greetings Of Spring—Waltz (Schwartz); Love Of A Gypsy—Waltz (Schwartz) ....Russian Novelty Orchestra; Voices Of Spring—Waltz (J. Strauss)....Ferdy Kauffman and His Orchestra; Over The Waves—Waltz (Roses—Arr. Hohne)....Russian Novelty Orchestra.

9.00 Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends with Elsie Carlisle.

The Charm School—Selection; Intro:—You Hit the Spot; I feel like a Feather in the breeze....Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends; A Couple Of April Fools (Kennedy and Carr); If You Love Me (Ray Noble)....Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends; Conversation For Two (Mysels, Hueston, Emmerich); Star Gazing (Symes, Neiburg, Levinson)....Elsie Carlisle with Orchestral Accompaniment; Moonbeams Dance (Carroll Gibbons) ....Carroll Gibbons (Piano Solo); So Many Memories (Woods)...Elsie Carlisle; Remember? (Carroll Gibbons Looks Back); Intro:—You forgot to remember; My heart stood still; I'll see you again; My blue Heaven; Can't help Lovin' That man; This Year's Kisses....Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends; To-morrow Is Another Day (From 'A Day at the Races')....Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.50 Light Opera Selections.

"The Quaker Girl"—Vocal Gems (Monckton); Intro:—Opening Chorus; A Quaker Girl; A Dancing Lesson; Valse Lente; Entrance of Quakers; Barbizon; Tip-toe; Tony From America; O, Time, Time; Mr. Jeremiah; Esquire; Couleur de Rose; Come to the Ball....Light Opera Company; "Dollar Princess"—Medley (Fall).. ..Nat Shilkret and His Orchestra; Countess Maritza—Selection (Kalman)....Grand Symphony Orchestra with Ilse Wald (Soprano) and Hans Clemens (Tenor).

10.15 Dance Music.

Fox-Trots—Keep A Twinkle In Your Eye (From 'Blackbirds of 1936'); Your Heart And Mine (From 'Blackbirds of 1936')....Jack Harris and His Orchestra; Fox-Trot—Please Believe Me; Poor Little Angeline.... Mantovani and His Tipica Orchestra with vocal chorus; Slow Fox-Trot—These Foolish Things (From 'Spread It Abroad'); Fox-Trot—I'm Building Up To An Awful Let Down....Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orpheans; Waltz—The Dance Goes On (From 'Over She Goes'); Slow Fox-Trot—Did I Remember? (From 'Suzy')......Mantovani and His Tipica Orchestra; Fox-Trots—May I Have The Next Romance? (From 'Head over Heels'); Looking Around Corners For You (From 'Head over Heels')....Ambrose and His Orchestra; Six-Eight—Sarah, The Sergeant Major's Daughter; Fox-Trot—Supposing....Max Murray and His Music Makers with vocal refrain; Fox-Trot—A Rendezvous With A Dream (From 'Poppy').....Shep Fields and His Rippling Rhythm Orchestra; Waltz—It's A Sin To Tell A Lie....George Hall and His Orchestra.

11.00 Close Down.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary, issued at 3.15 p.m. yesterday, says:

Market ruled steady with general enquiries, particularly for Trams and Hotels, at rates which are not freely attracting sellers.

Buyers

Hongkong Bank $1,440
Canton Insurance $225
Union Insurance $505
H.K. Fire Insurance $210
Union Waterboats $9.10
H. & S. Hotels $6.95
Humphreys $9¾
H.K. Tramways $17.20
Peak Trams (Old) $6¾
Sandakan Lights $9.30
Watsons $8.15
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6% pm.
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan 1½% pm.

Sales

Canton Insurance $225
Union Insurance $505
H.K. Fire Insurance $210
Raubs $10
H.K. Tramways $17.20
Telephones (Old) $26½
Antamoks Ps. .37

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

G. R.

NOTICE.

WATER SUPPLY.

It is hereby notified that commencing on **Thursday, 1st September**, the hours of supply to all districts on the Island and in Kowloon and New Kowloon will be

6—11 A.M., and 4—9 P.M.

R. M. HENDERSON,
Water Authority.
Public Works Department,
Hongkong, 29th August, 1938.

G. R.

NOTICE

The Public are hereby warned that there are a considerable number of counterfeit coins of the new 1937 design in circulation.

2. These coins are not easily detected, but close examination usually reveals slight defects in the milled edge, the most common being an irregularity in the thickness of the milled edges on either side of the groove.

3. A reward of $250.00 has been offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of manufacturers of these particular coins.

Sd. T. H. KING,
Commissioner of Police.
24. 8. 38.

G. R.

NOTICE.

WATER SUPPLY.

Free Tap Washering Service.

It is hereby notified that from 1st September until further notice, taps will be rewashered free of charge, on application.

Consumers are requested to use the appropriate telephone number under

"WATER WORKS COMPLAINTS"

Hong Kong—Telephone Number 30840.

Mainland — Telephone Number 50949.

R. M. HENDERSON,
Water Authority.
Public Works Department,
Hongkong, 26th August, 1938.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN.

What to do to help a child

Anyone knowing of a child who has been assaulted, neglected, or ill-treated in a manner likely to cause unnecessary suffering or injury to health, or knowing of a parent who is seeking advice on any matter concerning a child, would be doing an act of kindness by communicating at once with—

The Hon. Secretaries, H.K.S.P.C. The Old City Hall, Queen's Road C., Hongkong, or the Inspector, 49, Pokfulum Road, 1st floor; or the Inspector, Violet Peel Health Centre, Wanchai; or the Inspector, 12, Sai Yeung Choi Street, 1st floor, Kowloon.

All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society.

The Informant's name will be kept strictly private, except in cases where malice is proved.

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, Aug. 30.

New York Cotton

	Opening	Closing
Oct.	8.25/26	8.34/34
Dec.	8.32/31	8.41/41
Jan. (1939)	8.32/32	8.40 N
Mar. (1939)	8.32/31	8.39/39
May (1939)	8.27/27	8.37 N
July (1939)	8.26/26	8.35/35
Spot		8.46

New York Rubber

Sept.	16.25/25	16.25b/30a
Dec.	16.44/45	16.44 /45
Mar.	16.56/57	16.54 /54
May	———	16.66 /66

Sales for the day:—2,040 tons.

Chicago Wheat

Sept.	63⅜/63½	62⅞/62¾
Dec.	65⅝/65¼	64¾/64⅝
May	———	66⅞/67

Monday's Sales:—
20,311,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn

Sept.	52½/52¾	52⅝/52¾
Dec.	51¼/51⅛	51 /51
May		52⅝/52⅝

Winnipeg Wheat

Oct.	64¼/64	62¾/62¾
Dec.	63⅜/63⅛	61⅞/62
May	———	63¾/65½

Atoks .35
Baguio Gold .24½
Benguet Consol 11.40
Coco Grove .44½
Consolidated Mines .004
Demonstrations .30½
I. X. L. .60
Paracale Gumaus .16½
San Mauricio .81
Suyoc Consol .18
United Paracales .34

SUDETENS TO REJECT CZECH PROPOSALS

(Continued from Page 1.)

not fight the western democracies to back his claims.

This is taken as an indication that Germany will not be able to count on Italian support in the event of an invasion of Czecho-Slovakia precipitating war.—*United Press.*

May Be Turning Point

Prague, Aug. 30.

While the greatest secrecy is being maintained regarding between the President, Dr. Edouard Benes, and the Sudeten leaders, Herr Kundt and Herr Sebedowsky, to-day, it is obiously the beginning of fresh contacts which may mark the turning point in the whole situation.

The reason why the proposed meeting between Dr. Benes and Herr Henlein has been put off is not explained but possiby the Czech President perferred to see Herr Kundt rather than Herr Henlein, who has never taken the Oath of Allegiance. Herr Kundt, as leader of the Sudeten Parliamentary Party, is regarded by the Czechs as an opponent, but is not stamped an enemy of the present regime.

Position Explained

Herr Kundt and Herr Sebedowsky are reputed to be moderate Sudetens and there is reason to believe that Dr. Benes has explained to them how far the Government is prepared to go towards mutual agreement.

If the Germans consider that the Government proposals meet their view on the two questions of principle on which they take their stand, namely, the recognition of their juridical entity and full equality of status, then negotiations will be resumed with some hope of success.

Further Concessions

Prague, Aug. 30.

A police edict has repealed the ban on political meetings, semi-military salutes and the display of party emblems.

This is regarded as a fresh concession on the part of the Czech Government.—*United Press.*

Mussolini Delays Vacation

Rome, Aug. 30.

Signor Mussolini has delayed his normal vacation, and is remaining in Rome awaiting the outcome of the present crisis.—*United Press.*

Paris Still Hopeful

Paris, Aug. 30.

Optimism prevails here that Britain will succeed in settling the crisis.

Le Temps, after paying a handsome tribute to British diplomatic actions, adds that it is certain that the crisis will be rapidly settled if Berlin recommends that the Sudetens adopt a policy of moderation and conciliation.

It is reported here that the British Cabinet has decided to allow Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Lord Halifax a free hand in Czecho-Slovakia.

The belief in political circles in Paris is that the British Ambassador, Sir Nevile Henderson will convey to Berlin a letter of the utmost friendliness but intimating in the clearest language that a peaceful settlement of Sudeten questions rests with Herr Hitler alone, because Herr Henlein is not a free agent.—*Reuter.*

Not Anti-Fascist

Rome, Aug. 30.

The result of the emergency meeting of the British Cabinet is considered here as a favourable sign that Britain still believes that conciliation may solve the problem.

It is thought here that Mr. Chamberlain will make a personal appeal to Herr Hitler to prevent the atmosphere deteriorating.

Britain's peace moves are recognised as not being of an anti-Fascist nature.—*Reuter.*

OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"The Squeaker" (King's Theatre, to-day).—Adequate entertainment is served up in this Edgar Wallace thriller. The cast is competent and the direction skilful, and whatever shortcomings this film has, they are certainly not due to the players nor the director. Edmund Lowe is starred.

"The Mystery of the Wax Museum" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—This film has been shown several times but loses nothing in the screening. Suspense and thrills are nicely blended, while technicolour adds to the enjoyment. Lionel Atwill, Fay Wray, Glenda Farrell and Frank McHugh head the cast.

"The Kid Comes Back" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—After his splendid work in "Kid Galahad" it is only natural that there should be a demand for Wayne Morris, and here he is in a story, which exploits his refreshing personality to the full.

"Charlie Chan on Broadway" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—There is always good value in a Charlie Chan picture. This one of the series is as entertaining as the rest of them.

"I Met My Love Again" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—Rather serious drama, young love falling out and coming together again. Joan Bennett and Henry Fonda are the principals.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY PROBABLE DEFENCE

Gunman Might Be Taken For Hines

New York, Aug. 30.

The trial of J. J. Hines, former "Tammany" leader whom the State is endeavouring to impeach on corruption charges, may take an unexpected turn to-day.

Mr. J. Stryker, Counsel for Hines, is expected to try and prove that the defendant is a victim of mistaken identity and that witnesses have been confusing him with benign-looking Larry Carney, who was the "trigger-man" or expert killer employed by the "Dutch" Schultz gang, and who was known as "the Deacon."

Carney allegedly fought beside Schultz in the biggest gang battle in New York's history in January, 1931, when both were severely wounded.—*Reuter.*

HONGKONG-HANKOW AIR MAIL RESUMING

Hankow, Aug. 30.

To maintain communication between Hankow and Hongkong, the Ministry of Communications has instructed the Eurasia Aviation Corporation to resume air mail service between here and the British Colony beginning to-day.

According to tentative arrangements, a small plane will leave Hankow for Hongkong and return every other day, carrying only mails and no passengers.

In the meantime, the resumption of passenger service on the Hankow-Hongkong line is still being discussed and it is expected that the service may be resumed in a few days.—*Central News.*

GUERILLAS TEAR UP RAILWAY

Peiping-Shanhaikuan Line Interrupted

Peiping, Aug. 31.

For five hours this morning railway traffic from Peiping to Shanhaikuan was brought to a standstill by guerillas, who tore up the track on either side of Tientsin.

At Wangchuan, half-way between Tientsin and Peiping, the guerillas tore up the track, set fire to the station and then attacked the nearby Japanese garrison, necessitating land reinforcements and air units being rushed from Peiping.

Guerillas in east Hopei now greatly outnumber the Japanese garrisons along the railway, which are attacked every day at different places.—*Reuter.*

Pleads For Restoration Of Peace

Rangoon Governor Makes Appeal; New Riots In Mandalay

Rangoon, Aug. 30.

At a meeting with leaders of all political shades to-day the Governor, Commander A. D. Cochrane, appealed for immediate action to restore good relations between the different communities.

In Mandalay, where there has been a fresh outbreak of trouble, the police, who were heavily reinforced recently, were forced to open fire on the rioters.

Two Buddhist monks were wounded.—*Reuter.*

RAIL ROUTE TO RUSSIA THREATENED

Peiping, Aug. 31.

The Japanese spokesman claims the complete occupation of Fenglingtu, overlooking the Lunghai Railway section between Sian and Chengchow.

From Fenglingtu Japanese artillery now commands the railway, seriously jeopardising China's "life-line" between Hankow and Soviet Russia. It is expected that the Japanese will not attempt to cross the Yellow River and either march on Hankow or attack Sian.—*Reuter.*

HONGKONG MAY SCOUT WEATHER TEN MILES HIGH, FROM BALLOON

(Continued from Page 1.)

Such a system, apart from its obvious limitations, would be impracticable in Malaya because the prevailing easterly wind experienced in both this country and Java would carry the balloons over the sea here, while in Java there is a fair chance of their descending on land. Another point is that Java is thickly populated and Malaya is not.

And meteorologists are realising more and more the importance of having upper air data immediately.

DEVELOPED IN FINLAND

Several devices have been produced for automatically broadcasting from great heights the readings of instruments in a balloon. Singapore meteorologists are experimenting with an outfit developed in Finland.

It consists essentially of a wave-measuring receiver on the ground and in the balloon a midget transmitter the wavelength of which varies according to changes in atmospheric pressure, temperature and humidity.

To make possible continuous series broadcasts, in order, of the three readings, a constantly rotating device is essential. As clockwork is inoperative in stratosphere temperatures, which are as low as—100 Centigrade, an adaptation of the ordinary windvane has been devised.

Another problem created by the low temperatures is the question of keeping warm the radio batteries so that they will continue to deliver current. Glass wool may be used for packing them.

BRITISH CABINET SILENT

(Continued from Page 1.)

sides in Czecho-Slovakia and by their friends outside.

It has been observed with satisfaction in London that the self-defence order issued by the Sudeten leaders to their followers during the weekend does not appear to have been followed by any appreciable relaxation of discipline.

On the Czech side it is confidently expected that the Prague Government will do its utmost to avoid incidents.

It is understood that the British Ambassador to Berlin, Sir Neville Henderson, will return to Germany to-morrow.—*Reuter.*

Chamberlain Goes To Balmoral

London, Aug. 30.

The Prime Minister left Downing Street for Balmoral Castle this afternon, taking his fishing rods in his own car, while a second car carried his baggage.

A crowd of about 50 people gathered outside No. 10 Downing Street to watch Mr. Chamberlain's departure.

Mr. Chamberlain is taking up the duty of Minister in attendance to the King at Balmoral Castle.—*Reuter.*

BRITISH NAVY PREPARES FOR MANOEUVRES

(Continued from Page 1.)

meeting, the position of France, *vis-a-vis* Czecho-Slovakia, remains unchanged, and that France will execute all obligations under the pact with that country.

General Vuillemin, Chief of Staff of the French Air Force, left no doubt regarding this in the minds of German Ministers during his recent visit to Germany.

It is thus considered that any *demarche* to Berlin recalling France's undertakings towards Czecho-Slovakia would be superfluous, particularly as it is desired to avoid any action which might be misinterpreted in Germany.—*Reuter.*

AMERICA MAY TRY TO AVERT COLLISION

(Continued from Page 1.)

Kennedy, visited Mr. Neville Chamberlain before the Prime Minister left for Balmoral Castle to-day.

Mr. Chamberlain fully informed the U.S. Ambassador of the situation in Europe and of Britain's plans regarding Czecho-Slovakia.

It is believed that Mr. Kennedy has telegraphed detailed reports to President Roosevelt and to the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull.—*United Press.*

FRENCH MOVE TROOPS TO FRONTIER

Paris, Aug. 31.

France moved more than 20,000 troops to the Swiss frontier for "war games" at dawn to-day.

This is regarded as being of particular significance in view of expert predictions that in the event of war Germany would cross Switzerland to invade France.—*United Press.*

POST OFFICE.

AIR MAIL LETTERS

Surcharged air mail letters may be posted in the ordinary posting boxes. They should be clearly marked "By Air Mail" and bear sufficient postage. Insufficiently prepaid letters may be taxed with double the deficiency or forwarded by Steamer Service, at the discretion of the Post Office.

VIA SIBERIA ROUTE

Letters and Postcards for Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

AIR MAIL SERVICES

Air Mail Services to China are temporarily suspended.

OUTWARD MAIL TIMES

Registered and Parcel Mails are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due.
Japan	Allpore	August 31
Straits and Europe via Suez, (Letters and Papers)—London date, 4th August and London Parcels—London date—28th July	Carthage	August 31
Straits and Manila	Deucalion	August 31
Manila	Emp. of Russia	August 31
Saigon	Marechal Joffre	August 31
Shanghai and Swatow	Ninghai	August 31
Shanghai and Swatow	Suiyang	August 31
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London date, 11th August.	Aramis	September 1
Shanghai and Swatow	Kingyuan	September 1
Straits	Soudan	September 1
Japan and Shanghai	Corfu	September 2
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 28th August.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**September 2**
Straits	Calchas	September 3
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	September 3
Australia and Manila	Nankin	September 3
Amoy	Tjibadak	September 4
Japan	Africa Maru	September 5
Shanghai	Ixion	September 5
Tientsin	Hoihow	September 6
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 31st August.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**September 6**
Japan	Kutsang	September 6
Australia and Manila	Taiping	September 6

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Wednesday		
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Ming	Wed., Aug. 31, 8.15 a.m.
Japan	Santhia	Wed., Aug. 31, 8.30 a.m.
Haiphong	Chaksang	Wed., Aug. 31, 9 a.m.
Kongmoon	Fook On	Wed., Aug. 31, 10 a.m.
Swatow and Bangkok	Michael Jebsen	Wed., Aug. 31, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy	Shantung	Wed., Aug. 31, 10.30 a.m.
Parcels only for Straits and Calcutta	Suisang	Wed., Aug. 31, 11 a.m.
Swatow and Bangkok	Helios	Wed., Aug. 31, 1.30 p.m.
Parcels only for Straits	Cremer	Wed., Aug. 31, 5 p.m.
Thursday		
*Swatow, *Shanghai and Tientsin	Tingsang	Thurs., Sept. 1. 12.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and *Foochow	Seistan	Thurs., Sept. 1, 3 p.m.
Swatow and Amoy	Anhui	Thurs., Sept. 1, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, (Parcels and Papers only for Canada)—due Vancouver B.C. 19th. September.	Empress of Russia	Thurs., Sept. 1.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Parcels	Sept. 1, 3 p.m.
	Reg.	Sept. 1, 4.15 p.m.
	Ord.	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
Saigon	Aramis	Thurs., Sept. 1,
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Reg.,	Sept. 1, 4.15 p.m.
	Ord.,	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 8th. September.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**Thurs., Sept. 1.**
	K.P.O.	
	Reg.	**Sept. 1, 5 p.m.**
	Ord.	**Sept. 1, 5.30 p.m.**
	G.P.O.	
	Reg.	**Sept. 1, 5 p.m.**
	Ord.	**Sept. 1, 7 p.m.**
Air Mail for Malaya and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 10th Sept.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**Thurs., Sept. 1.**
	K.P.O.	
	Reg.,	**Sept. 1, 5 p.m.**
	Ord.,	**Sept. 1, 5.30 p.m.**
	G.P.O.	
	Reg.,	**Sept. 1, 5 p.m.**
	Ord.,	**Sept. 1, 7 p.m.**
Manila, and (Parcels and Papers for Australia and New Zealand)—due Brisbane, 19th September.	Tanda	Thurs., Sept. 1.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Parcels,	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
	Reg.,	Sept. 2, 8.45 a.m.
	Ord.,	Sept. 2, 9.30 a.m.
Friday		
Amoy and Shanghai	Tjisadane	Fri., Sept. 2, 8.30 a.m.
Kongmoon	On Lee	Fri., Sept. 2, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Yunnan	Fri., Sept. 2, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Kwangtung	Fri., Sept. 2, 4.30 p.m.
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 30th September.	Corfu	Fri., Sept. 2,
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Parcels,	Sept. 2, 5 p.m.
	Reg.,	Sept. 3, 9.45 a.m.
	Ord.,	Sept. 3, 10.30 a.m.
Saturday		
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Sat., Sept. 3, 8.15 a.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 13th September.	**Corfu**	**Sat., Sept. 3.**
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Reg.,	**Sept. 3, 9.30 a.m.**
	Ord.,	**Sept. 3, 10 a.m.**
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingyuan	Sat., Sept. 3, 10 a.m.
*Brindisi—due Brindisi 23rd September.	Conte Rosso	Sat., Sept. 3.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Reg.	Sept. 3, 3.45 p.m.
	Ord.	Sept. 3, 4.30 p.m.
Sunday		
*Swatow, *Shanghai and Tientsin	Fooshing	Sun., Sept. 4, 9 a.m.
Swatow and Shanghai	Suiyang	Sun., Sept. 4, 9 a.m.
Monday		
Beira and L. Marques	Africa Maru	Mon., Sept. 5, 9 a.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 12th September.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**Mon., Sept., 5.**
	K.P.O.	
	Reg.	**Sept. 5, 5 p.m.**
	Ord.	**Sept. 5, 5.30 p.m.**
	G.P.O.	
	Reg.	**Sept. 5, 5 p.m.**
	Ord.	**Sept. 5, 7 p.m.**
Air Mail for Malaya, and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Ser-Service"—due Sydney, 12th September.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**Mon., Sept., 5.**
	K.P.O.	
	Reg.	**Sept. 5, 5 p.m.**
	Ord.	**Sept. 5, 5.30 p.m.**
	G.P.O.	
	Reg.	**Sept. 5, 5 p.m.**
	Ord.	**Sept. 5, 7 p.m.**
Tuesday		
Batavia and Sourabaya	Tjibadak	Tues., Sept. 6, 9.30 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kiungchow	Tues., Sept. 6, 10 a.m.
Amoy	Ninghai	Tues., Sept. 6, 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Yasukuni Maru	Tues., Sept. 6, 3.30 p.m.
Swatow and Shanghai	Taiyuan	Tues., Sept. 6, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu and U.S.A., by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 14th Sept.	**Pan American Airways Plane**	**Tues., Sept. 6.**
	Kowloon P. O.	
	Reg.,	**Sept. 6, 5.00 p.m.**
	Ord.,	**Sept. 7, 9.00 a.m.**
	G.P.O.	
	Reg.,	**Sept. 6, 5.00 p.m.**
	Ord.,	**Sept. 7, 9.00 a.m.**

***Superscribed correspondence only.**

The Hongkong Telegraph

EIGHTH ANNUAL AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION

June—September, 1938

$250 CASH PRIZES $250

(Donated by "Hongkong Telegraph")

TWO SILVER TROPHIES, VALUED $250

(Donated by ILFORD, Ltd., London)

BELL & HOWELL FILMO DOUBLE EIGHT MOVIE CAMERA & CASE, VALUED $288

(Donated by Filmo Depot, Hongkong)

SPECIAL PRESENTATION DE LUXE PHOTO ALBUM

Hand-made in leather by a renowned Vienna artist to the value of $100.00

Donated by:—HELMUT NOCHT

To be awarded to the best action study, including sequence shots. Open to all classes.

THE ILFORD TROPHIES WILL BE AWARDED TO THE BEST AND SECOND BEST ENTRIES IN THE COMPETITION, IRRESPECTIVE OF CLASS.

Prizes will be allotted as follows:

SECTION ONE:

FOR STORY-TELLING PICTURES

First Prize: Bell & Howell Filmo Double 8 Camera, Streamline Model, four speeds self-setting footage indicator, built-in exposure guide, single picture device. Complete with case. Donated by Filmo Depot., Hongkong.

Second Prize: $40 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Third Prize: $20 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

SECTION TWO:

GENERAL PICTORIAL SECTION (VIEWS, ARCHITECTURE, LANDSCAPES, SEASCAPES, HUMAN & ANIMAL STUDIES).

First Prize: $50 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Second Prize: $25 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Third Prize: $15 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

SECTION THREE:

STUDIES IN STILL LIFE

First Prize: $30 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Second Prize: $20 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Third Prize: $15 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

SECTION FOUR:

SNAPSHOTS TAKEN BY CHILDREN UNDER 14 YEARS

First Prize: $20 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Second Prize: $15 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

COMMENCE SENDING IN YOUR ENTRIES NOW

RULES

The following Rules will govern the Competition:

1.—The Competition is confined exclusive ly to amateur photographers.

2.—No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.

3.—The prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photograph in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by an entry form which will be published during the period of the Competition, and which must be pasted on back of entry.

5.—All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are ineligible.

6.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries.

7.—All entries to be either black, sepia, or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Hand-coloured photographs are ineligible.

8.—Pictures submitted in sepia tone should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.

9.—No picture to be entered in more than one Section.

10.—Mounts to be only white or cream, and, except in the Children's Section, must be of one of the following sizes:—16" by 14", 10" by 12", 10" by 8".

11.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.

12.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the entrant's name, age and address on the entry form, counter signed by a parent.

13.—Members of the Staffs of the *Hongkong Telegraph* and the *South China Morning Post* are not permitted to compete.

14.—The decisions of the Judges shall be final.

15.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at the *Telegraph* offices within seven days.

USE THIS FORM AND PASTE IT ON THE BACK OF EACH ENTRY.

ENTRY FORM

SECTION .....

NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

DATE .....

Please use block letters and paste this on back of each Entry. If entered in Children's Section, parent please countersign here.

.....

SEAMAN ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Tyndareus Tragedy Recalled

When the Blue Funnel liner Tyndareus was 150 miles from Hongkong in the early hours of August 2, its compradore, Tse Tong, was found seriously injured and later died. The assistant compradore, Mah Hung, was discovered lying dead on a camp bed.

There was a sequel yesterday when Mr. J. Whyatt, Crown Counsel, started committal proceedings, before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy, against Chan Ki, 24, a seaman of the Tyndareus, who was charged with the murder of Tse. He was originally charged with the murder of Mah also, but Mr. Whyatt amended the charge yesterday.

The defendant was represented by Mr. C. A. Sutherton Russ, and Inspector C. Rozeskwy was present for the Police.

Many Chinese were in Court as spectators and they remained until Mr. Whyatt's opening was completed when Mr. Barnett requested the public, with the exception of the Press, to leave the Court.

Outlining the case, Mr. Whyatt said that the defendant was accused of the murder of Tse, and that it was alleged by the Crown that on August 2, in the early hours of the morning, and during the middle watch, the defendant killed Tse by striking him with some sharp instrument. Tse was the compradore, and the defendant was a seaman on board the steamer which was on the high seas at the time of the alleged crime.

The evidence in the case against the defendant, went on Mr. Whyatt, was entirely circumstantial, and in spite of thorough investigations the police were unable to discover any motive for the murder. However, immediately after the murder, the defendant was seen running away from the scene of the crime and his subsequent conduct and statements were such as to lead to the conclusion that he was guilty of the offence.

The Tyndareus was of 11,361 tons, belonged to Messrs. Holt and Company and was registered in Liverpool. The crew consisted of 103 men of whom 15 were European and the rest Chinese. Although the ship was primarily a cargo vessel, she had a passenger's certificate and was licensed to carry passengers. Tse catered for the steerage passengers with the assistance of a staff of six men.

"SAVE LIFE"

On May 19, continued Mr. Whyatt, the Tyndareus left Hongkong on her outward voyage for the west coast of America and during the voyage everything seemed satisfactory on board her. She left Seattle on June 23 on her return trip and eventually sailed from Shanghai at the end of July. During this voyage there had been nothing to indicate or cause suspicion that within a few hours of the ship reaching Hongkong a double murder would be committed on board.

At midnight on August 1, the steamer was about 150 miles from Hongkong. The night was fine and cloudy and a watch was being changed. Apart from the men who were on duty, the rest of the crew had no duties, and it was expected that they were asleep. About 2 a.m. the helmsman went off duty and he departed from the bridge with a seaman named Chung Tai, who desired to have a bath. Chung went aft along the port side of the seamen's kitchen to get some water and after obtaining this he went to the bathroom on the starboard side just abreast of the seamen's quarters. There he met the defendant who said that he could not sleep.

Sometime later, about 2.30 a.m., a seaman named Cheng Sze was lying half awake on a bunk in his quarters when he suddenly heard cries of "save life." He left his bunk and looking out of a passage way, he saw the defendant jump on to the No. 8 hatch and run to the port side of the ship. Cheng went into the mess room and the defendant walked in. Cheng asked him what was the matter and the defendant replied "don't make a noise or I will kill you," and then left. Cheng returned to his quarters and was sitting down drinking a cup of tea when he saw the defendant walking aft along a passage and carrying a bundle of clothing. Cheng saw the defendant proceed to the stern of the steamer and throw the bundle over the rails into the sea.

FOUND IN SCUPPERS

About this time, said Mr. Whyatt, Chung Tai had finished his bath and was on his way back to his quarters when he met the defendant. A fireman, Ah Yung, also saw the defendant, who, when questioned said that he was on duty, but this was not true. Nothing further occurred until 4 a.m. when there was a change of watch.

Chung Tai went to call the reliefs and was aft on the starboard side, walking towards the No. 8 hatch, when he noticed a body lying in the scuppers. He went to call a boatswain, and together they returned to the scuppers where they saw that the person was lying face downwards with the back of his head bleeding profusely. The man was taken out of the scuppers and found to be the compradore. As Tse was receiving medical attention from the steamer's doctor, someone said that there was another injured person some 40 feet away, at the entrance of the No. 9 hatch between decks. He was found to be Mah, who was dead.

The second officer, who was informed of the trouble, reported to the Captain and the crew were mustered and a thorough search of the seamen was made. No weapon was found, but near the entrance of the between deck concerned a pair of slippers was found, a pair from each other, which indicated that the struggle had begun there. There were no blood stains there but blood spots were seen in the vicinity of the scuppers. In the compradore's storeroom, the safe was locked and intact.

Concluding, Mr. Whyatt said that about 6 a.m., Cheng Sze was approached by the defendant who said to him in a low voice and in a threatening manner the words, "keep quite." The steamer arrived in Hongkong about 3 p.m., and the police began investigations immediately. The defendant was arrested on August 6.

Dr. Hong Hung-tai, who conducted the post mortem on Tse said that cause of death had been fracture of the skull, concussion and haemorrhage.

After Mr. G. H. Brown, the second officer, had given evidence, the case was adjourned until 2.30 p.m. to-day.

To Command M.T.B. Flotilla In Hongkong

It is notified that Lieut. Cmdr. G. D. Clark, a torpedo specialist, will be in command of the No. 2 Motor Torpedo-boat Flotilla which is to be stationed at Hongkong. Three of the boats are now en route to the Colony by steamer, and the remaining three will follow next month. Lieut. Cmdr. Clark has been in the service since 1920. Prior to his new appointment, he was torpedo officer of the battleship Royal Sovereign, and has been serving in charge of the motor torpedo-boats since June.

NEW TRANSPARENT COLOUR FOR LIPS

This method of lip colouring, stolen from the glamorous South Sea Maiden, makes lips positively irresistible!

Instead of coating your lips with an opaque lipstick that's more likely to repel than attract... TATTOO them with a transparent South Sea red that is completely irresistible! It's *marvelous*. Looks just like a part of your lips and stays on like mad. Softens lips too ...makes them doubly adorable. Try it! See the five luscious shades of TATTOO at your favourite store. There are various sizes at prices to fit every purse. TATTOO your lips!

CORAL...EXOTIC...NATURAL...PASTEL...HAWAIIAN

TATTOO YOUR LIPS for Romance!

For your complete beauty treatment, use Tattoo Powder, Rouge and Mascara (Cream with brush)

Sole Distributor:
Auw Pit Seng's Trading Co., Ltd.
Hongkong.

Sturdy, happy Babyhood

The foundations of a robust constitution are laid in the nursery. 'KEPLER' COD Liver Oil with MALT Extract, an easily digested food, will supply the vitamins and nutriment necessary to the formation of firm flesh and bone.

TRADE 'KEPLER' MARK

COD Liver Oil with MALT Extract

Bottles of two sizes from all Pharmacies and Stores

BURROUGHS WELLCOME & CO.
(THE WELLCOME FOUNDATION LTD., LONDON, E.C.1.)
LONDON AND SHANGHAI

Copyright

KING AIR-CONDITIONED THEATRE

COMENCING TO-MORROW

ALSO

LATEST MUSICAL SHORT	KRAZY KAT CARTOON	ANDY CLYDE COMEDY
"COMMUNITY SING"	"MASQUE RAID"	"MY LITTLE FELLER"

UP FROM THE OCEAN'S FLOOR... HERE HE COMES TO *Thrill* YOU!

TO-MORROW At The QUEEN'S

COPIES OF

PHOTOGRAPHS

by "Staff Photographer" appearing in the "SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST" and "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" may be purchased at the Business Office of "The Hongkong Telegraph" Morning Post Building, Wyndham Street.

COUNT THE

"TELEGRAPHS"

EVERYWHERE

Watson's Lavender Talcum

A TOILET NECESSITY FOR ELEGANCE & COMFORT.
Combining the Fragrance of Old English Lavender with Mild Antiseptic and Absorbent Qualities in Improved Form.

In Large Size Containers 80 cts.

Refills ..... 60 cts.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

NEW H.M.V. RECORDINGS

From August Release

DANCE RECORDS

	Dance Orchestra	
10-inch Records		
I fall in love with you every day—F.T. (V.R. by Denny Dennis)	ROY FOX	BD 5371
How'd ja like to love me—F.T. (V.R. by Mary Lee) (Both from film "Swing Teacher, Swing")		
Sunday in the Park—F.T. ("Happy Returns")		
Shadows on the Moon—F.T. (From film "Girl of the Golden West")	"	BD 5369
(Both with V.R. by Denny Dennis)		
Please be kind—F.T. (V.R.)	JACK	
When the organ played "O! promise me"—F.T. (V.R.)	HARRIS	BD 5373
My Heaven in the Pines—F.T. (V.R.)		
You got the best of the bargain—Waltz (V.R.)	"	BD 5374
Love walked in—F.T. (V.R.)		
Love is here to stay—F.T. (V.R.)	"	BD 5375
(Both from Film "Goldwyn Follies")		
(All with V.R. by Sam Browne)		
Take a tip from the Tulip—Quick Step (Film "Radio City Revels")	HENRY JACQUES	BD 5370
You got the best of the bargain—W.		
Rose of Tralee—F.T.	DAN	
'Tis I myself—F.T. (V.R. by Dan Donovan)	DONOVAN	BD 5372
Ole King Cole—F.T. (V.R. by Teddy Foster)	TEDDY	
Swance—F.T.	FOSTER	BD 5301

"BAND – LIGHT INSTRUMENTAL"

FIRST RECORDS—TATTOO—ALDERSHOT, 1938

Massed Bands of the Aldershot and Eastern Commands conducted by W. N. Campbell

Slavonic Rhapsody (Friedemann)	B 8755
Tudor Rose—Combined Band and Bugle March (Trayton Adams)	B 8756
Royal Review—March (Bassett Silver)	
Tournament—March (A. Young)	B 8757
The Standard of St. George—March (Alford)	

S. Moutrie & Co., Ltd.
YORK BUILDING CHATER ROAD.

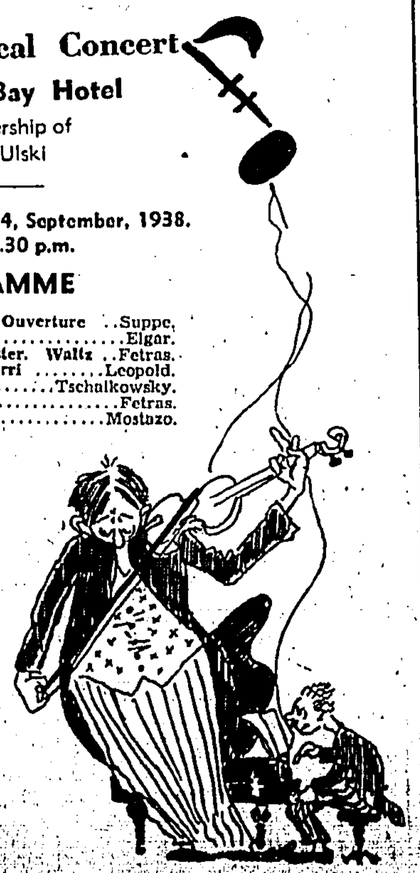
Music hath charms

Sunday Classical Concert
at Repulse Bay Hotel
Under leadership of
Geo. Pio-Ulski

Programme for Sunday, 4, September, 1938.
1 p.m. — 2.30 p.m.

PROGRAMME

1. Beautiful Galathea. Ouverture ..Suppe.
2. Salute d'Amour .....Elgar.
3. Moonlight on the Alster. Waltz ..Fetras.
4. Dubinushka. Potpourri .....Leopold.
5. Barcarole .....Tschaikowsky.
6. Polo—Spiele .....Fetras.
7. Los Compañilleros .....Mostazo.



For Reservations
phone 27775.

REPULSE BAY HOTEL

THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI HOTELS, LTD.

Be proud of the appearance of your automobile.

Keep the finish looking like new by polishing or waxing . . . clean the windows and polish the chromium. These are all important steps towards the beauty of your car.

But . . .

For that FINISHED BEAUTY . . . for that final step in giving your car that smart different appearance, use WHIZ WHITE TIRE COATING.

WHIZ WHITE TIRE COATING gives your automobile that sought after

Beauty . . .

Sold Here
HONGKONG HOTEL GARAGE
Stubbs Rd.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1938.

PRECAUTIONS ADVISABLE

It is perfectly true that in the past decade there have been all too frequent cries of "Wolf!" and that the British public, particularly, may have come to take them almost as a matter of course. "Newspaper talk," is so often the label pinned to the sensational stories of disturbing and sometimes frightening political events, in the mind of the reader of despatches from the capitals of the world. But that is neither just nor sensible. Opinions of trained observers and statements from responsible spokesmen are not conceived or issued for the benefit of newspapers, but for the enlightenment of the general public. Headlines merely call attention to them. In the last forty-eight hours developments in the European arena have come so swiftly and so confusingly that it has been difficult to sort them out and, removing them from their rhetorical embellishments, to examine them in a revealing light. What do we find? Germany has mobilised a mighty war machine for what she chooses to call manoeuvres, which will extend, incidentally, over a period of months; her press is campaigning very energetically, to arouse sympathy for the cause of the Sudeten Germans; the Sudetens themselves are refusing to consider any compromise in their quarrel with the Czecho-Slovakians: hence, suspicion and distrust among those peoples who have reason either to fear Germany's motives, her expansion into the Danubian basin, or her infringement of the rights of free peoples. On the other side, so to speak, France has quietly moved troops to the frontier for manoeuvres; the Czechs have unquestionably hastened the strengthening of their defences; Great Britain is believed to have taken certain precautionary measures, probably in the form of gearing up her mobilisation machinery; and a nebulous alignment of nations of enormous strength has appeared to have taken shape against which Germany, and possible allies, must collide in any march across the Czech frontier. Thus, the German radicals, if they do contemplate a Czecho-Slovakian adventure, will probably pause, and reconsider. Moreover, there is good reason to believe that Britain and the United States, with Canada a mutual friend and participant, have finally achieved the long-awaited reciprocal trade pact, which brings the great Anglo-Saxon democracies closer together than they have been since 1917—or since 1776, for that matter. Are all these sensational developments in Europe likely to end in compromise, graceful or otherwise, then? It seems likely. For the terrible and needless risk which Germany would face were she to undertake hostilities seems to be too great even for that very formidable military power. Moreover, there are brilliant men working desperately for compromise, and among them is Lord Runciman, trying to bring together on common ground the Sudetens and Czecho-Slovakians. He may well be the key-man in this puzzle of people whose rough edges are so difficult to fit into any sort of peaceful pattern. But he has not lost hope and is still striving. Admittedly the position is delicate; and there is no use denying the danger of an explosion. One shot, one knife thrust, even an ill-chosen word might bring catastrophe, for national feelings are at fever heat. But the position is by no means hopeless. Even if a Sudete-Czech compromise is not immediately possible, if the German attitude can be softened it may mean the difference between peace and war. Just the same, while it is well to have faith in the diplomats and statesmen in whose hands the negotiations must remain, it is not wise to trust entirely to their efforts. It is as well to be prepared for all eventualities. If His Majesty's Government takes any precautionary step it will have the sympathetic support of every British man and woman who believes that Britain's strength may yet prove the decisive weight in the scales against hostilities. It would be infinitely more desirable if negotiators could succeed without the threat of force behind them. But nothing should be left untried when a solution of the present difficulties means so much to all the world—and to all posterity.

There may be "Fire Under Europe," but remember that there is

PEACE OVER ENGLAND

by
BRUCE BLUNT

A WOODEN fish sits on the wall and smokes a pipe.

It is a fish from the waters of imagination, but from its high perch it looks over the waters of the river Parret as it flows through Bridgwater.

The Parret snuggles down between its muddy banks at low tide.

Bridgwater snuggles down between the hills and the sea, and wears a deceptive air of slumber. Bridgwater always sleeps with one eye open.

FASHIONS may change and trades may vanish, but Bridgwater will always find something else to do. It never intends to be left in a backwater, but it moves forward in its own unflurried way, with the dignity of a well-handled ship.

On the curve of the wall beneath the fish one reads the words "Joker's Corner," set out in neat black lettering like any other street-name.

The little creeper-covered shop at the corner sells lollipops and eel-hooks.

The one who never liked lollipops and could never catch an eel, it was a relief to see that the shop sold cigarettes as well. One can ask questions over a packet of cigarettes.

A middle-aged woman came to the counter from an inner room.

"Has this spot been known as Joker's Corner for long?" I asked her.

"Only for about five years," she said. "It was my husband's own idea."

Such inconsequence will probably last when other more pompous place-names have been changed and forgotten. One feels that the corner will keep its name long after the jester has gone.

"That is a very accomplished fish which you have on the wall outside."

"Oh, he's not so good as the fish on the other wall. The other one sings, and keeps on catching little fish in its mouth at the same time."

I went out to look at this fish of genius. It was a bold and garish creature. Its bright red nose outshone the mellow redness of the old brick wall.

* * *

There was news of a different red on other walls.

"General Nicolai Bielov, ex-chief of the West Russian Soviet Army, was shot in the Lubyanka Ogpu Prison, Moscow.

"Several other high officers were executed at the same time."

* * *

A GREAT cone of deep red brick rises nearly a hundred feet against the sky.

It is the kiln of a pottery, or, rather, the outer shell enclosing three large kilns.

Up a few steps, and in through its doorway, and the world was shut away.

No fires were burning in the kilns, and the vast, circular space was hushed. The only sound came from the wind outside the small, dusty windows.

On wooden shelves were ranged thousands of grey flower-pots of all sizes waiting for the firing. They stood like a multitude of ghosts in the dim light.

WILLIAM ROUTLEY, the foreman, moved among them. He has been a potter for forty years.

I asked a question which had never occurred to me before.

"How does the hole get into the bottom of a flower-pot?"

"It is made by the thumb of the potter," said the foreman.

And he showed with his supple hands how a flower-pot takes shape on the wheel from a lump of clay in less than a minute.

"A skilled man can make 900 of these small pots in a day," he told me.

It takes thirty hours in the kiln to change these grey shapes into the red and ringing flower-pots in which your plants and cuttings will grow.

One could see the colour of English gardens which will spring from those pallid ranks.

Jugs and bread-pans, washing-bowls and chimney-pots stand there as well, waiting for the fires next day.

* * *

Other fires are already alight.

"At night the countryside is dotted with bonfires where the Republicans are burning their dead."

* * *

ON the opposite side of the river is the Rope Walk.

Here they will make you a 180-yards ship's cable which weighs a ton, or some fish-net twine which is so thin that it takes a mile of it to weigh a pound.

The roofed Rope Walk is 230 yards long, and run the whole length of a street.

The machine which carries the stands travels by cable from one end of the building to the other. You need length if you are going to make rope.

The Waddons have been making rope there for more than a hundred years.

The present head of the firm, Mr. Clifford Waddon, is in the tradition of that hundred years.

Tall, broad, and independent, he would rather make no rope at all than make a bad one. But he intends to go on making rope.

Modern substitutes may have done the industry some harm, but there is plenty of life in it yet.

Here you can buy cow-spans made of horsehair, pig-nets, ricknets and rabbit-nets, cables for big ships, painters for little boats.

* * *

Other people's boats.

"Across the bridge, on the Honan side, the bodies of forty-nine boat-dwellers were laid.

"Eye-witnesses say that between thirty and forty other people were blown into the river by the force of explosions. Their bodies were swept away by the tide."

* * *

MISSILES are being flung at the Toby Inn, but they come rolling harmlessly back down the long chute to the players.

"I thought that skittles was dying out," I said.

"Not a bit of it," retorted one of the players. "They are building a lot of new skittle alleys in the West. This is one of them."

Behind the skittles with a pint of beer beside him, stands the "sticker-up." He is there to replace the fallen skittles after a player has had his throw. A pleasant, thirsty job.

I am glad that they are building more skittle alleys in the West. A good game to play in that countryside on summer evenings, with the Quantocks looming purple in the distance.

A ball goes on its noisy way along the wooden alley. Two skittles fall.

* * *

"All-day bombing of Canton. One hundred and fifty-six killed and missing."

* * *

I THOUGHT, "I will call upon Miss Smith, who knows the Quantock Hills by heart."

I did so, and asked after the Quantocks.

"You have come too late for the rhododendrons," said Miss Smith, a little reproachfully.

"But in good time for the meadow-sweet and mallow," I answered. "I think that I like them better than rhododendrons."

A pained expression crossed Miss Smith's face. I had spoken slightingly of something which grows on the Quantocks.

But, all the same, she took me to the hills.

Through lanes with hedges so high that one could see nothing we climbed into hills which were so high that we could see everything.

Across Sedgemoor to the Polden Hills and the Mendips, across the Severn Sea to the hills of Wales, away to the Brendon Hills and the brooding bulk of Exmoor, and across the far-stretching level greenness of some of England's richest grassland, strung with tall elms and dotted with grey stone manors and farmhouses of which the centuries have hardly scratched the surface.

* * *

"During the desperate fighting of the past month Sarrion has been shelled, bombed and dynamited. It is now little more than a heap of stones."

* * *

"YOU must see Stogursey and its church," said Miss Smith. "The name is really a corruption of Stoke Courcy."

Stogursey or Stoke Courcy—it matters little. The place will survive under either name.

It is cool and quiet under the great Norman arches of the church.

The strength and grace of pillar and arch seem almost as timeless as the hills beyond the window.

Beneath one of the arches is a high stone tomb, with the recumbent figure of a knight upon it. The date is 1461.

Close to the figure is an inscription which reads:—

"Of your charity pray for the soul of

JOHN VERNEY,

who 500 years ago did so hard a thing, and left us an example so noble."

Be at peace, John Verney. You sleep in English ground.

GRIN AND BEAR IT ..... By Lichty

"Junior—have you seen anything of Daddy's plaything?"

PEER PLEADS FOR WOMEN WHO MARRY ALIENS

"Treated as Chattels"

By WILLIAM BARKLEY

LORD ALNESS'S Bill to give equality of national status to women on marriage was dropped after debate in the House of Lords last month. The Government are all in favour of it, but would not back it because they cannot get unanimity throughout the Empire.

Lord Alness denounced this attitude as "spineless, pusillanimous and defeatist."

Just the same, although he had Socialist Party support and the backing of two Conservative peers in their speeches, he withdrew the second reading—partly because it is so late in the session.

He quoted many Government declarations in favour of this Bill, including one made at Geneva to the effect that married women's disabilities in matters of nationality should be removed, and that a married woman should be in the same position as a man or a single woman.

He said that in the last twenty years Russia, the United States and China have altered their laws to permit a woman to retain her nationality on marrying an alien.

FOLLOWED SUIT

Smaller countries have followed suit, and most large European countries have gone a long way towards adopting the same principle.

"I have heard the objection that if the law were altered you might have two nationalities in one family. Such an objection suggests that a woman should be the subordinate partner in a marriage, a mere chattel—a doctrine which surely will not find favour to-day."

He showed that there is no uniformity in the Empire at present. Recent laws passed in Canada, New Zealand, and Australia have created anomalies.

"Do the Government propose to sit with folded hands and let events drift?" he asked. "Or will they not summon another Imperial Conference and put this question in the forefront of the agenda? Will the Government not give a lead."

'ESPIONAGE'

He made these propositions: (1) To enjoy nationality in one's own person is a fundamental political right; (2) Nationality should not be imposed on or taken away from any adult citizen of either sex without the express consent of that person.

Lord Marley (Soc.), agreeing with him, emphasised the other side of the Bill, which would stop alien women automatically becoming British on marriage with a British subject. With the growth of espionage and undesirable foreign activities, he said, this side of the Bill should be remembered by the Government.

Lord Munster, for the Government, said that successive Imperial Conferences, including last year's, have failed to reach agreement. Consultations will continue; but while the Government feel sympathetic they cannot alter the law until all the Dominions are agreed.

WOMEN DEMAND MEN'S PAY

"It costs us as much to live"

THE conference of the Open Door International — which seeks complete economic sex equality—at Cambridge recently called upon women workers throughout the world to give their active support to a trade union policy of pay and working rights equal to those enjoyed by men.

Mrs. E. M. White, speaking of holidays with pay, said she had noticed that, over and over again, the amount fixed "has been such-and-such for men and exactly half the sum for women.

"The woman who goes on holiday—does she pay half the railway fare? Does she get into lodgings at half the amount it costs a man? She has just the same to pay and yet she has half the money."

LOVE KILLS GERMS

A French doctor living in Cologne, Germany, has discovered almost-a-cure for the common cold—get engaged.

Engaged couples, he says, are not liable to colds to anything like the same extent as other people.

The excitement, he believes, builds up the resistance of the body to the attacks of germs.

Joan's Banner

One of leading events at recent rededication of the restored cathedral at Reims, France, was presentation by Lord Hewart, British Lord Chief Justice, of a copy of Joan of Arc's banner. The original banner was taken to London after Joan was burned at the stake. Above, the page boys who carried the gift display the flag at the cathedral.

A.R.P. FIRMS ACCUSED OF PROFITEERING

—Official Report

FIRMS dealing in rubber hose—essential part of A.R.P. fire-fighting equipment in war-time—are alleged to have formed a ring and charged excessive prices to the Government.

Strong comments on their methods are made in the report of the Select Committee on Estimates, issued last month.

"The suppliers of hose appear to have reached an arrangement of the nature of a ring or cartel; and these firms quote uniform prices and pool the orders received," states the report.

CALL FOR BOOKS

"The Office of Works were able to negotiate a reduction on the prices quoted in the first instance, and are now stipulating for an examination of the contractors' books in order to ascertain actual costs before further orders are placed."

Dealing with the experience of the Defence Departments and the Treasury, the report states that while the evidence gave little ground for misgiving, the rigorous enforcement of the principles outlined in the first report of the Estimates Committee was essential in preventing excessive profits being made out of the defence programme.

While manufacturers and contractors in general have shown themselves ready to co-operate fully with Government departments, it is stated that the case of a small number of firms, constituting one industry of importance, who have refused facilities for checking their prices, was still under consideration.

"In some instances costings have shown the prices charged to be reasonable; in others they have enabled substantial reductions to be made.

"SUSPICION"

"Your committee must record their disapprobation of any action calculated to maintain unduly the cost of supply at a time when greatly increased quantities are required in a vital national interest, and as exceptions to voluntary arrangements are few, it appears to them the more regrettable that they should occur at all and afford occasion for suspicion."

The Select Committee suggests a continual scrutiny of contracts by the Contracts Co-ordinating Committee.

OFFICERS' PAY UP £600,000

2,000 Army Promotions: Lower Retirement Age

Promotion has taken effect for more than 2,000 officers—more than a quarter of the subalterns and captains in combatant corps;

Scholarship schemes that will take the poorest boy, if educationally qualified, through Sandhurst or Woolwich without cost to his parents;

Abolition of half-pay periods, except for sickness, and all promotion by time instead of vacancy, subject to efficiency.

THESE are the three chief points in the sweeping Army changes announced by Mr. Hore-Belsha (War Minister) in the House of Commons recently.

The biggest Gazette in Army history will detail the promotions, and the new service conditions affect combatant officers of cavalry, Royal Artillery, Royal Engineers, Royal Corps of Signals, foot guards, infantry, Royal Tank Corps and Royal Army Service Corps.

After eight years of service an efficient subaltern will automatically be promoted captain, and major after 17 years' service. Every officer entering the Army at the normal age will be sure of approximately 10 years' service as major, if not previously promoted. Beyond major's rank, promotion will be by selection to fill particular appointments.

Pay scales and retirement ages are revised, and the scheme will cost £360,000 in the first year, rising gradually to £600,000, probably in 20-25 years, as pensions come into force, and then falling.

With accelerated promotion and increased pay at lower ages, tenure of command and staff appointments will be reduced from four years to three.

The new retirement ages are: Generals and lieutenant-generals from 67 to 60; major-generals from 63 to 57; colonels from 57 to 55 and majors from 50 to 47.

FROM THE RANKS

A new system of direct commissioning from the ranks, instead of passing men through Woolwich and Sandhurst, is to be introduced.

There will be 100 scholarships of £20 a year, tenable for three years, cumulative, for subalterns on first commission who need this assistance—officers, for instance, without private means.

With the revision of Sandhurst and Woolwich entry conditions the limitation on the number of scholarship is removed, coupled with remission of all fees to successful candidates whose parents' means make this necessary. It will be possible for the colleges to have every candidate 100 per cent. scholarship.

Popular among officers will be the abolition of half-pay periods between appointments. In future there gaps will be paid for at full rate, and allowances as on leave. They will count, too, towards pension—a new privilege.

PAY COMPARISON

Present and new daily pay rates are given below.

Ranks which gain directly:

Rank	Present
2nd Lieut.	10/-
Lieut.	11/10
Rank	**New Rate**
2nd Lieut.	11/-
Lieut. (3 years service)	13/-

Ranks which gain indirectly by holding low rank for a shorter time and by earlier increments:

Rank	Present
Lieut. (after 7 years service)	14/6
Capt.	19/-
Capt. (after 15 years service)	23/6
Major	28/6
Major (after 3 years service as such)	33/6
Lieut.-Col. (excluding command pay)	43/-
Rank	**New Rate**
Lieut. (6 years service)	14/6
Capt. (8 years service)	19/-
Capt. (11 years service)	19/-
Capt. (14 years service)	23/6
Major (17 years service)	28/6
Major (22 years service)	33/6
Lieut. Col. (excluding command pay)	43/-

Rates of pay for Colonels and General Officers have been drawn up on a less complex scale. They represent, generally, an all-round increase, as follows:

	£	s.	d.
Colonels on promotion	2	9	10
After 2 years in substantive rank	2	12	6
After 4 years in substantive rank	2	15	2
After 6 years in substantive rank	2	18	0

These figures compare with present rates ranging from £2 3s.

A regimental major will be able to earn the maximum retired pay of £407 10s. a year at age 46, if he has 23 years' service. Under present conditions he would be liable to retire as a captain at 45 with £271 10s. maximum retired pay.

At 46, with 25 years' service, a lieutenant-colonel will be able to attain his maximum retired pay of £543 a year. Hitherto his rate has depended on the length of his command.

HIS 26th CHILD

New York.

George Boaman, aged eighty-three, of Washington, was told recently that his third wife had presented him with his twenty-sixth child.

"My gosh," said George, "I've used up most of the names there are."

And what do you think George chose? HERBIE.

Pity The Poor Public School Boy

"There is no greater example of snobbishness than the claim that the Battle of Waterloo was won on the playing fields of Eton," said Dr. A. J. Cronin, the novelist, at Steyning, Sussex.

"There is always the danger of well-meaning parents struggling and striving to maintain their children at public schools, educating them in an atmosphere where they are ever striving to emulate their more opulent fellows.

"They are acquiring an expensive outlook, and then, being thrust on a world with tastes and ambitions far above their financial resources, compete for jobs with their more fortunately placed colleagues."

RADIO BROADCAST

Wing-Comdr. Steele-Perkins On "Black Out"

MOZART SYMPHONY

Radio Programme Broadcast by Z.B.W. on a Frequency of 845 k.c's. and on Short Wave from 1-2.15 p.m. and 8-11 p.m. on 9.52 m.c's. per second.

H.K.T. (ML).

12.00-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 Sam Browne (Baritone) with The London Piano Accordeon Band.

Happy, I'm Happy (From 'Caravan')....Piano Accordeon Band; The One Rose (Lyon and McIntyre); A Star Fell Out Of Heaven (Gordon and Revel)....Sam Browne; I Have Lost My Heart In Budapest (Mihaly and Feiner).....Piano Accordeon Band; What's Good For The Goose, Is Good For The Gander (Friend)...Sam Browne and Girl Friend; There'll Never Be Another You (Harry Woods); One Night In Monte Carlo (Silver, Sherman and Lewis)...London Piano Accordeon Band; Sam Browne Requests; Intro:—Just One More Chance; Let's Put Out the Light and go to sleep; When day is done....Sam Browne; The White Cliffs Of Dover (Leon and Towers); Log Cabin Lullaby (S. and G. H. Byrne and Schuster)..London Piano Accordeon Band.

1.00 Time and Weather.

1.03 Musical Comedy Selections.

Musical Comedy Marches; Intro:—"Riff Song" (Desert Song), "The Mounties" (Rose-Marie), "Song of the Drum" (Song of the Drum), "The Three Musketeers" (The Three Musketeers), "Tokay" (Bitter Sweet), "The Robbers' March" (Chu Chin Chow), "Love's Sentry" (Madame Pompadour), "Goodbye" (The White Horse Inn)...Light Opera Company; "The Cat And The Fiddle"—Selection; Intro:—I watch the Love Parade; She didn't say yes; Try to forget; A new love is old; Poor Pierrot; The night was made for love; One moment alone; Finale.... New Mayfair Orchestra; "New Moon"—Vocal Gems; Intro:—One kiss; Wanting you; Softly as in a morning sunrise; Lover come back to me; Stout-hearted men....Light Opera Company conducted by Nathaniel Shilkret; "London Rhapsody"—Vocal Selection; Intro:—Hometown; Sing a song of London...The London Palladium Orchestra conducted by Jack Frere.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather and Announcements.

1.40 Mozart—Symphony in B Flat Major, K. 319.

Played by Edwin Fischer and His Chamber Orchestra.

2.00 Vladimir Horowitz at the Piano.

Valse Oubliee (Forgotten Waltz—Liszt); Carriccio In F Minor (Dohnanyi); Etude XI Pour Les Arpeges Composes (Debussy); Pastourel (Poulenc); Toccata (Poulenc).

2.15 Close Down.

6.09 Delius—Sea Drift.

Sung by John Brownlee (Baritone), and London Select Choir with the London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham, Bart.

6.27 Egon Petri at the Piano.

Indianisches Tagebuch (Busoni).

6.37 Ravel — Introduction and Allegro For Harp with String and Woodwind Accompaniment and La Valse.

Introduction And Allegro For Harp with Strings And Woodwind Accompaniment....Virtuoso String Quartet with J. Cockerill, R. Murchie and C. Draper; La Valse....Orchestre De La Societe Des Concerts Du Conservatoire, Paris Conducted by Philippe Gaubert.

7.07 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.10 Variety and Dance Music.

Quickstep—You Can't Stop Me From Dreaming; Fox-Trot—Silvery Moon And Golden Sands....Henry Jacques and His Correct Dance Tempo Orchestra; Vocal—What Now? (From 'Big Business'); An Hour Ago This Minute (From 'Big Business')....Gertrude Lawrence (Soprano) with Orchestra; Fox-Trot Intermezzos—Sunny Days; Chorus Of The Clocks....Otto Dobrindt And His Piano Symphonists; Vocal—Stardust (H. Carmichael)....The Radio Three with Their Rhythmic Escorts; Fox-Trots—Stranger In A Cup Of Tea (From 'Crazy Days'); Love Was Born....Billy Mayerl and His Orchestra with vocal refrain by Fred Conyngham; Comedy Fox-Trots—I'm A Little Prairie Flower; Waltz—The Girl In The Hansom Cab....Jack Harris and His Orchestra, Vocalist: Elsie Carlisle; Vocal—Le Chaland Qui Passe (de Badet and Bixio); J'Aime Tes Grands Yeux (Tranchant and Bixio)....Lys Gauty with Orchestra; Fox-Trots—Old Man Moon (From 'Topper'); Foolin' Myself....Harry Roy and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Vocal—I Heard (Don Redman).....The Four Crotchets (Vocal Quartette) with Guitar; Fox-Trot—Goodnight To You All.....George Elrick and His Swing Music Makers.

8.00 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 A Scottish Programme.

There's A Wee Bit Land (J. C. Grieve)....Laidlaw Murray (Baritone) with Orchestra; Batea Pipes (Arr. Cecil J. Sharp)....Elsie Avril and Everal de Jersey (Violin and Piano); Songs Of The Hebrides—Kishmul's Galley (M. Kennedy-Fraser)....Muriel Brunskill (Contralto) with Piano; The Road To The Isles ("Songs of the Hebrides"—Kennedy-Fraser ....Stuart Robertson (Bass-Baritone) with Piano accomp. by Herbert Dawson; Scottish Melodies (Arr. A. Moffat); Intro:—Annie Laurie; Inverness Gathering Reel....Florence Macbride (Violin Solo) with Piano; The Bonnie, Bonnie Banks O' Loch Lo-

(Continued on Page 4.)

AS LIGHT -- AS A FEATHER

These Summer Pyjamas are made from light-weight cotton fabric, perforated for extra coolness. They are fully cut to prevent dragging and have lastex girdles.

$8.50

Less 10% discount for cash.

Blue
Beige
White
Yellow

MACKINTOSH'S LTD.

$1 TIFFINS at— Jimmy's

Also A la Carte

China Bldg., Hongkong. Hankow Rd., Kowloon.

Get the world's good news daily through THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR

An International Daily Newspaper

Published by THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE PUBLISHING SOCIETY

One, Norway Street, Boston, Massachusetts

Regular reading of The Christian Science Monitor is considered by many a liberal education. Its clean, unbiased news and well-rounded editorial features, including the Weekly Magazine Section, make the Monitor the ideal newspaper for the home. The prices are: (U.S. money)

1 year $12.00 6 months $6.00 3 months $3.00 1 month $1.00
Wednesday issue, including Magazine Section: 1 year $2.00, 6 issues 25c and the paper is obtainable at the following location:

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM

Room 606, Bank of East Asia Bldg.
10 Des Voeux Road Central

Columbia

LATEST SUCCESSES FROM LONDON—

FB1971—Goldwyn Follies. Selection ..... Louis Levy & British Gaumont Orch.

FB1972—Love Walked In ..... Love is Here to Stay .....Carroll Gibbons & Savoy Orpheans. (BOTH FROM GOLDWYN FOLLIES)

FB1973—My Heaven on Earth .....Mantovani & Orch. Let's Sail to Dreamland.

FB1974—Shadows on the Moon .....Henry Hall & Orch. (GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST) Cry Baby Cry.

FB1975—Who Stole the Jam .....The Six Swingers. Park Lane Strut.

FB1980—Oh Ma Ma .....Ray Ventura & Orch. Chocolate Soldier's Daughter.

FB1967—Around the Danube .....Albert Sandler & Orch. Dorna Voda. (Roumanian Gipsy Dance).

FB1976—Somebody's Thinking of You To-night .....George Elrick & Orch. OOOO-oh Boom.

FB1981—Trinia. Paso Doblo .....Manolo Bel & His Muchachas. Maria Magdalena.

THE ANDERSON MUSIC CO., LTD.

PHONE 21322 ICE HOUSE STREET.

Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Investment Bankers and Brokers in Securities and Commodities

Daily New York and London Stock Exchange Service
Commodity Futures on the principal American markets

Members of

New York Cotton Exchange
Chicago Board of Trade
Winnipeg Grain Exchange
Commodity Exchange, Inc., New York
Canadian Commodity Exchange, Inc., Montreal
New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange
Manila Stock Exchange.

Correspondents for

Hayden, Stone & Co., New York and Boston
J. E. Swan & Co., New York

Telephone 30243 ... *Cable Address* SWANSTOCK

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building, Hongkong

Offices: Shanghai, Manila and Singapore

TSUI YUN-PUI FULLY EXTENDED BY C. K. CHAN

SPLENDID MATCH IN HARDCOURT TENNIS TOURNEY

LEE WAI-TONG, CRAWFORD UNABLE TO COMPLETE TIE

(By "Veritas")

Driving ferociously on the forehand, Tsui Yun-pui and C. K. Chan yesterday indulged in what is likely to be the quickest tempo match in the current hardcourt tennis championships. Tsui ultimately won 6-4, 4-6, 6-2, but even if he advances through the remaining four rounds of the tournament, it is not likely that he will meet with stiffer opposition.

Chan, former Kwangtung representative in China National Meetings, had two spells yesterday when he literally scintillated. Unfortunately for him he could not sustain them sufficiently to make victory his. But it was a grand match to watch, and most certainly added much-needed lustre to the day's programme, which otherwise produced disappointing standards of play.

Chan had a great chance of winning the opening set, when he went to a 3-1 lead while Tsui was still endeavouring to find control. But Chan failed to consolidate on his own service and Tsui, getting into his stride, and finding Chan quick to react to the adverse run of play, finally clinched the set at 6-4.

The feature of this set was the splendid forehand driving of both players. Chan was especially devastating on this hand, and whenever he could manoeuvre for the right shot, usually aced, or forced Tsui into an error with a terrifically fast and deep drive to the backhand corner.

TSUI'S ADVANTAGE

Comparatively speaking Chan's backhand was purely defensive, and it was here that Tsui had a decided edge over the Canton man. Tsui clipped the lines with beautifully made backhanders while Chan, generally speaking, had to rest content with a straightforward return to his ready and waiting opponent.

Another shortcoming in the loser's play was his volleying. He did not score with enough consistency from the forecourt, sometimes being in two minds about the stroke he should make, with unhappy results. Tsui, although not such a gay attacker, was discreet in his net advances, and because of this, plus the fact that he knew precisely what to do with the ball, made his forecourt work a decided asset.

Chan leapt into dazzling form in the second set, running away with a lead of four-love, the outcome of a steady stream of whipping forehand drives, a few neat volleying sorties and some decisive overhead work. This was Chan's brightest period and he was a delight to watch. Tsui was nonplussed, but in the fifth game he recovered, and actually forced the issue to the tenth game before conceding the set.

The effort appeared to take a lot out of Chan, while the subsequent play suggested the reverse had served only to stiffen Tsui's endeavours. Anyway, mainly through a series of inexcusable nettings by Chan, the Hongkong player went into a five-love lead, and looked as though he would win the set without conceding a game. Chan, however, playing desperately, and regaining accuracy off the ground, squeezed two games out of Tsui before conceding the match on an error.

A SPEED THEME

Speed was the theme of the encounter which thus made it an exciting spectacle for the onlookers. Tsui deserved to win because he played with more purpose than the loser. Nevertheless Chan nearly battered down his defences with those raking forehanders, and if his backhand had been half as attacking, he might well have reversed the result.

On another court Lee Wai-tong and A. Crawford played a marathon match, which, in comparison to the Tsui-Chan game, was purely pat-ball. I could not help thinking it was Crawford's own fault that he did not win, instead of sharing two sets and thus necessitating a replay.

After he had won the first set by wary tactics, which were quite commendable as they gave him a chance to get his strokes in working order, Crawford made the supreme blunder of continuing along the same lines. In fact he became more and more defensive as the match progressed. This suited Lee up to the hilt, for it permitted him to dictate the terms. He had Crawford guessing with his drop shots, which, though cleverly made, should not have reaped such a rich reward on a hardcourt.

Crawford seemed foot-weary after the first set and was only happy when the ball was being driven to the baseline. Lee realised this and kept everything as short as possible. Nevertheless Crawford could have changed the conditions had he wished. He did not attack, and when it came to pure defensive tennis, Lee was always more likely to outlast him. The K.C.C. player had nothing to lose by forcing the exchanges after winning the first set. Instead he agreed to play Lee's waiting game, and thereby lost his chance.

One admired Lee for his fine consistency in returning the ball and his subtleties in mixing pace, direction and flight. He had Crawford outgeneralled practically the whole of the second set, and ran the youngster off his feet with adroit placements.

Crawford played the right kind of tennis in the first set, when he guardedly felt his way about a strange court, but having mastered its pace, he should have pressed Lee for all his worth. Choosing a baseline game was a tactical blunder which brought its own punishment.

The full results of the afternoon's matches follow.

SINGLES

Tsui Yun-pui beat C. K. Chan 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.

Lee Kam-ming beat K. K. Fung 6-4, 9-7.

Peter U beat J. F. L. Smalley 6-3, 6-3.

Bick Szeto beat S. S. Leong 6-2, 6-3.

A. Crawford and Lee Wai-tong 6-4, 9-11 (unfinished).

DOUBLES

Pang Ol-lam and Mok Fuk-in beat H. W. Lee and S. W. Liang 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following is the programme to-day:

SINGLES

P. Kong v. H. D. Rumjahn.
Tsui Wai-pui v. Pang Ol-lam.
I. Agafuroff v. S. A. Rumjahn.

DOUBLES

E. E. Storey and J. J. Ferguson v. A. Chan and J. Hsu.
G. E. R. Divett and C. W. Sewell v. D. S. Sze and F. Gross.

The success of Joe Louis, the heavyweight boxing champion of the world, has often been attributed to the guiding genius of Jack Blackburn, his manager. It is said that the famous old lightweight does just about everything but fight for the negro champion.

As I See Sport — **By "Abe"**

BARTLETT'S 100 SECOND FASTEST IN FIVE YEARS

Should Give Him Lawrence Trophy For 1938 Season

WITH his century, scored in 57 minutes, against the Australian cricket tourists, H. T. Bartlett, the former Cambridge captain now playing for Sussex, is almost certain of winning the Lawrence Trophy, presented in 1934 by Sir Walter Lawrence for the quickest hundred of the season. In the first year, Frank Woolley won it with a century for Kent against Northamptonshire in 63 minutes; in 1935, it was won by Harold Gimblett, who scored his hundred for Somerset against Essex at Frome, also in 63 minutes; in 1936, Leslie Ames had the quickest hundred playing for an England eleven against India at Folkestone in 68 minutes; and last year, Joe Hardstaff, of Notts, had the fastest century of all when he reached three figures at Canterbury against Kent in 51 minutes. Bartlett's time, therefore, is the second fastest since the trophy was put up for competition. Two months ago, Don Bradman, the Australian captain, scored a hundred in 73 minutes; but recently E. R. T. Holmes, the Surrey captain, beat him by eight minutes, taking only 65 minutes for his century against Sussex. During the present season, however, a schoolboy, R. B. Proud, captain of Winchester College, scored the fastest century recorded this summer when he made 100 in 48 minutes for the Rest against the Lord's Schools at Lord's; but his innings does not qualify for the Lawrence Trophy as it was not scored in first-class cricket.

Great Hitter

A LEFT-HANDED bat, Hugh Bartlett is regarded as one of the greatest hitters in the game to-day. Playing for the Gentlemen against the Players at Lord's in mid-July, he played an innings which will long be remembered. Tall and loose-limbed, he is a bad starter, but when set drives a very long ball, using his wrists as well as his arms and shoulders. Of him the special correspondent of *The Cricketer*, in reporting this match, said, "He is indeed a magnificent left-handed hitter with immense range and power of strokes. I do not recall even a Jessop treating professional bowling quite so roughly as he did in this innings (he made 175 not out). He hit 24 fours and four sixes, and was at the wicket exactly three hours. He gave only one chance—a difficult one, high and going away fast—to third slip, off Smailes, when 52. His sixes sailed immense distances—two on to the roof of the grandstand—and two far up the Mound. But perhaps the finest of all his strokes was a straight drive off Smailes which went first bounce over the rails at amazing speed. In one over of Peter Smith, he hit two sixes and four four's. Bartlett is only 23, and was one of seven Cambridge Blues playing for the Gentlemen."

(Continued on Next Column.)

Highest Innings

INCIDENTALLY the 453 scored by Sussex in the match is the highest put up by any county side against the Australians during the present tour. Previously the 377 scored by Kent at Canterbury in the second innings was the best. Apart from Bartlett, Cox contributed 76, James Langridge 68 and Stainton 58. All the Australian bowlers were badly punished, F. A. Ward with six for 184 being the most successful with White's three for 75 next in line. It is significant, though that both O'Reilly and Fleetwood Smith, the Australians' best bowlers, were not playing. And no wonder! These two bowlers were given such a gruelling time by the English Test team at the Oval that they must be badly in need of a rest. McCormick, who did not play in the Fifth Test, conceded 86 runs without taking a wicket.

Woolley Says "No"

FRANK WOOLLEY, the Kent and England cricketer, has now put an end to persistent rumours that he was thinking of playing for Kent again next season. He is wise to go while his batting retains so much of its old glory, instead of waiting on till it is on its decline. It would, in any case, be rather difficult for Woolley to go on in view of the farewell demonstrations he has been given up and down the country. At the Oval recently, E. R. T. Holmes, the Surrey captain, collected the Surrey players round Woolley to give a round of cheers when he finished his last innings on that ground. Tonbridge, where he was born, and Tunbridge Wells have said good-bye to him. Unlike some singers, a cricketer can make only one farewell tour.

John Cobb Now After Capt. Eyston's Mark

Bonneville Flats, Utah, Aug. 30.

John Cobb, the British racing driver, had two runs to-day in an attempt to break Capt. George Eyston's newly-established world land speed record in a Railton car.

His time was not officially given but Cobb was unofficially timed at 300 miles per hour in his first run and 325 in his second.—*Reuter's Special.*

South African Tour Rumour Premature

London, Aug. 12.

"The announcement is premature," stated an official of the Football Association in regard to a report that the F.A. are sending a team to tour South Africa at the end of the coming football season.

He added: "We are awaiting a communication from South Africa, upon receipt of which the question will be decided by our committees and council. Negotiations with the South African authorities are still in progress."

LOCKE DEFEATS PADGHAM

£100 A SIDE GOLF MATCH

London, Aug. 15.

A. D. Locke, the brilliant young South African golfer, beat A. H. Padgham, former Open champion, by two holes in their 36 holes challenge match for £100 a side, on the Selsdon Park Club's course yesterday.

Locke generally played the steadier golf, but it was not until the sixteenth hole of the evening round that he was able to lead.

A crowd of 2,000 people followed the play, but they were not always fully under control and in the excitement of the rush in the afternoon nobody could say that Locke's ball, at the eighteenth hole, was not trodden on.

Again, at the fourth in the second round, Locke drove to the top of a bunker and in the crowd's haste a man accidentally kicked the ball into the hazard. On consultation and with Padgham in agreement, the ball was replaced on the top of the bunker.

Both players went round in 68 in the afternoon, and in the evening Locke took 67 to Padgham's 69.

DIEGEL INJURED

Toronto, Aug. 15.

Leo Diegel, the American golfer, was struck by a car and badly injured at Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday.

He was taken to hospital suffering from severe head injuries, face lacerations, and possible fractures of the skull and left thumb.

Born in 1899, Diegel was the American professional champion in 1928 and 1929 and has won the Canadian Open championship four times.

He was second to Bobby Jones in 1930 in the British Open at Hoylake, being beaten by two strokes, and was third to Walter Hagen in 1929.

SHUTE TWINS MAY BECOME THE SECOND RENSHAWS, SAYS WALLIS MYERS

Create Record In Winning Public Schools' Doubles

The full story of how the Shute twins, Kenneth and Warwick, former competitors in the Colony tennis championships, won the Public Schools' Doubles Tennis Championship of England, and at the same time established a new record, is now to hand.

The Shute boys amazed everybody by going through the tourney without losing a set, and finally winning the final by 6-0, 6-0. They beat the Charterhouse pair J. Michelmore and D. N. Cobbold in the ultimate round.

Mr. A. Wallis Myers, commenting on the match in the *Daily Telegraph* said: "Another record was established when the twin brothers Shute of King's, Rochester, won the doubles final in two love sets. They were in a class above the Charterhouse pair, Michelmore and Cobbold, scoring freely all round the court with aggressive strokes and punishing almost every lob. Their fearless union, supported by sound temperament, suggested that the line of twin pairs, made famous by the Renshaws, Baddeleys and Allens, might be restored."

Kenneth Shute almost made a great effort to win the singles, surviving five rounds to the semi-final, where he was beaten by the eventual champion, G. L. Paish.

Warwick also advanced through two rounds, and then fell a victim to Paish, who subsequently became his brother's conqueror.

DETAILED SCORES

The detailed scores of the twins' progress in the doubles cannot be given complete. However, in the third round they beat A. and E. B. Dawes 6-3, 6-2, in the fourth round they beat Tufnnell and M. W. H. Calvert 6-1, 6-0, and in the semi-final they beat D. W. and R. H. Emmett 6-1, 6-2.

Kenneth Shute's successes in the singles were as follows: 1st round, beat R. M. Shepard 6-0, 6-0; 2nd round, beat V. Dive 3-6, 6-1, 6-0; 3rd round, beat J. L. Whitmore 6-2, 6-1; 4th round, beat W. O. Weyman 6-2, 7-5; 5th round, beat N. D. N. Cobbold 6-2, 6-1; semi-final lost to G. L. Paish 4-6, 3-6.

Warwick's singles progress was: 1st round, beat R. Galsford 6-1, 6-2; 2nd round, beat D. J. MacCallen 5-2, 6-1; 3rd round, lost to G. L. Paish 6-4, 2-6, 4-6.

Hendren May Coach At Nottingham

London, Aug. 15.

Hendren is mentioned as the next likely coach at Trent Bridge, to be vacant through James Iremonger retiring at the end of the summer.

"Patsy" is a candidate, along with Alan Fairfax, the Australian Test player.

Iremonger has done great things for Notts cricket, apart from the valuable work he put in when Larwood and Voce came under his care as raw youngsters.

HOME SOCCER RESULTS

London, Aug. 30.

The following are the results of matches played in the English Football League to-day:

SECOND DIVISION

Burnley 2 Southampton 1

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bristol R. 0 Brighton 1

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Rochdale 2 Carlisle 3

—*Reuter.*

ARMSTRONG TO FIGHT GARCIA ON NOVEMBER 2

New York, Aug. 30.

Mike Jacobs, the boxing promoter, announced to-day that Henry Armstrong, the triple champion, will meet Ceferino Garcia, of the Philippines, in a welterweight title bout on November 2.

The terms for the fight will be announced later.—*United Press.*

YORKSHIRE RETAIN COUNTY CRICKET CHAMPIONSHIP

Middlesex Fail In Fixture Against Surrey At Lord's

London, Aug. 30.

As a result of Middlesex's defeat on first innings by Surrey at Lord's to-day, Yorkshire have retained the County Cricket Championship. Yorkshire have one more match to play, against Sussex at Hove, but the result does not affect the championship as, assuming that Yorkshire are beaten, they will finish ahead of Middlesex.

In reply to Middlesex's score of 241, Surrey made 396, thanks to 129 by R. J. Gregory and 116 by H. S. Squires.

At Hove, the Australians drew with Sussex. Against Sussex's total of 453, the tourists made 300.

MIDDLESEX v. SURREY

At Lord's, Surrey beat Middlesex on first innings.

Middlesex scored 241 in their first innings, to which Surrey replied with 396, Gregory contributing 129 and Squires 116. I. A. R. Peebles took six wickets for 76 runs.

In their second knock, Middlesex scored 183 for eight wickets.

LANCASHIRE v. WARWICKSHIRE

At Blackpool, Lancashire beat Warwickshire on first innings.

Lancashire hit up 338 for seven wickets declared in their first innings, top-scorer being Hopwood with 120.

Warwickshire replied with 321, Wilkinson taking five wickets for 79.

In their second innings, Lancashire declared at 152 for seven, and Warwickshire had scored 81 for two wickets when stumps were drawn.

WORCESTERSHIRE v. NORTHANTS

At Worcester, Worcestershire defeated Northants by two wickets.

Northants scored 200 and 140 (Howorth 5 for 51), while Worcestershire made 104 (Timms 6 for 18) and 237 for eight wickets.

HAMPSHIRE v. NOTTS

At Bournemouth, Nottinghamshire defeated Hampshire by 167 runs.

Notts scored 203 (Boyes 5 for 56) and 349 (G. F. H. Heane 106 not out, Heath 5 for 78), and Hampshire replied with 310 and 75.

SUSSEX v. AUSTRALIANS

At Hove, the match between Sussex and the Australians was drawn.

In answer to Sussex's first innings total of 453, the tourists scored 300, Badcock making 58, Barnett 53 and Hassett 50. H. E. Hammond took five wickets for 107 for Sussex.

In their second innings, Sussex had made 53 for two wickets when stumps were drawn.

Walker, the Australian wicket-keeper, who injured a finger yesterday, had his finger X-rayed to-day and a bone was found to be chipped. He pluckily insisted on batting and scored two not out.—Reuter.

WM. Sykes LTD
BRITAINS SPORTS SPECIALISTS

"FLIGHT COMMANDER"
BADMINTON RACKETS
ARE USED BY ALL THE CHAMPIONS IN MALAYA

THE BADMINTON CENTRE OF THE EAST

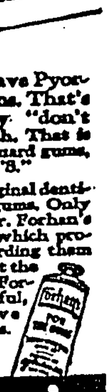
STOCKED BY
Lane, Crawford, Ltd. — China Sports
China Emporium — International Sports

SOLE AGENTS
DENIS H. HAZELL & CO., Marina House.
(Denis H. Hazell, Eastern Director, WM. SYKES, LTD.)

A DENTIST PREPARED THIS Special TOOTHPASTE to avoid the dangers of PYORRHEA

4 out of 5 adults have Pyorrhea—diseased gums. That's why dentists say "don't just clean your teeth. That is only half the job. Guard gums, too, with FORHAN'S."

Forhan's is the original dentifrice for teeth and gums. Only Forhan's contains Dr. Forhan's famous Astringent which protects the gums, guarding them against infection. Get the double protection of Forhan's, have beautiful, white teeth—have sound healthy gums. Buy a tube today.



Forhan's

DOCTOR BRUSH JOBS Cleans Teeth • Saves Gums

The Original Toothpaste for both TEETH AND GUMS Formula of Dr. R. J. Forhan

MULLER, MACLEAN & CO., INC.
French Bank Bldg.,
Hongkong, China.

LOCKE WINS IRISH OPEN TITLE

Only Man to Break 70, He Beats Cotton By a Single Stroke

London, July 22.

A. Locke, whose high hopes of taking back with him to South Africa our major golfing title were blown sky-high in Sandwich's summer gale, had consolation when he won the Irish Open Championship at Portmarnock yesterday.

Playing the final 36 holes in 139 (69 and 70)—a magnificent performance—he beat Henry Cotton by one stroke and, since he was the only competitor in any of the four rounds to break 70, he collected for himself the additional prize of £200 offered for division among those who accomplished that feat.

Cotton was three strokes ahead of Locke at the end of the third round and, as the South African was playing ahead of him, he set on his last journey knowing exactly what he had to do to win.

Actually he went out in 34 to Locke's 36 and so led by 5 strokes, but his troubles began at the 11th hole and, one by one, his advantage disappeared.

He had played the first ten holes in 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 3 4. Three puts at the 11th gave him his first 5, he visited a bunker at the 13th and had another 5 and then three-putted on the 15th green. Worse still, he finished in 5 5 5 against 4 4 4 by Locke.

Reaching the last green with two fine shots he seemed set for a 4, which would have meant a replay, but putted 4ft. short and then missed his second—his third three-putting lapse.

It was the later holes which had beaten Cotton in the third round, for he went out then in 33, but had a 6 at the 10th and two 5's later. Locke, on the other hand, after turning in 34, made only one slip—a missed putt of 5ft.—on the homeward journey. On the last green he holed a putt of 10ft. for the four he needed to give him 69.

LEADING SCORES

A. D. Locke (S. Africa)	69	73	69	70	—202
Hy. Cotton (Ashridge)	75	74	70	74	—293
A. Lees (Dore)	72	74	76	74	—296
D. J. Rees (Surbiton)	69	73	73	74	—300
M. Faulkner (Leamington)	79	75	73	73	—300
S. F. Brews (S. Africa)	75	78	74	74	—301
B. Gadd (W. Cheshire)	79	76	75	72	—302
J. Burton (Hillside)	74	76	73	79	—302
W. Nolan (Portmarnock)	76	78	75	74	—303
J. Bruen (Muskerry)	76	76	79	73	—304
P. J. Mahon (Dublin)	77	74	79	74	—304
E. F. Hill (St. Mellons)	76	79	73	77	—307
F. Bullock (Sonning)	79	76	78	75	—307
E. W. Jarman (W. Lancs)	81	79	76	80	—307
J. Adams (Liverpool)	73	75	82	76	—307
W. Robertson (Cleethorpes)	78	78	79	74	—309
S. Easterbrook (Knowle)	79	73	77	80	—309
J. Burke (Lahinch)	79	77	79	80	—309
P. Alliss (Temple Newsam)	81	77	75	77	—310
W. H. Davies (Wallasey)	79	78	79	77	—310

It's nice to be a comedian like Joe E. Brown and make everybody happy. Here he is seen with Jane Wyman on one side and Barbara Pepper on the other in the new Columbia comedy, "Wide Open Faces," showing to-morrow at the King's Theatre.

HONGKONG CYCLING FEATS

Two excellent performances by R. H. McDowell featured the Hongkong Cycling Club's activities during the past week. On August 23, he returned 1 hr. 18 mins. 9 secs. for 25 miles, and on August 28 clocked 3 hrs. 22 mins. 52 secs. over the arduous Shataukok and back route.

McDowell rode a 70 gear throughout the "25" but towards the end showed that the heat was troubling him a little. His intermediate times were: 5 miles, 15.27; 10 miles, 30.22; 15 miles, 46.10; and 20 miles, 1.1.45. Thus his last five miles occupied 16.24 to average 18.202 m.p.h. against an average for the whole distance of 19.193. McDowell's time at 10 miles is the fastest he has yet recorded for that distance in this season.

For his second attempt on Sunday to establish the new Shataukok and back record McDowell used gears of 66", 70" and 85". On his last attempt over an hour was taken in which to reach Taipo (16 miles) but on this occasion he covered 17½ miles in the first hour, and reached Fanling in 1.8.30 (20.2 miles). The half-way point at the border town (26.6) was gained in 1.30.10, but in turning on the drying surface the rider skidded and fell, fortunately suffering only a few minor scratches, but losing almost a minute. The 6.6 miles back to Fanling (33.4) were covered in 22 mins. 5 secs. and the causeway bridge after Taipo was reached when 2.10.30 had elapsed (38.4).

Forced to Dismount

From this point McDowell slowed somewhat, due in main to the increasing heat combined with two stiff hill climbs to be made. On both hills the rider was forced to dismount, but the last 15.2 miles were nevertheless covered in 1.12.32 to bring him back to the timekeeper 3 hrs. 22 mins. 52 secs. after he had been despatched. The ride was observed throughout by Messrs. H. A. G. Keates and S. Yun, whilst a surprising feature of the trial was the almost perfect feeding and marshalling arrangements. The former was carried out at 17¼ miles and at Shataukok, whilst marshals were posted at Fanling, Taipo and Chan Hak. McDowell wishes to express his appreciation to those who performed these duties, especially in view of the inclement weather in which they had to turn out.

Next week's run will commence from the Alhambra as usual (Sunday 10 a.m.) the destination being Lokmachou.

RIFLE SHOOTING

Macao, Aug. 29.

The annual shoot of the Macao Rifle Club took place at the Macao Race Course on Saturday last, and was keenly contested. Sixteen members took part in the shoot, Mr. Alberto de Mello securing twenty-two points to get first place.

Second and third places were obtained respectively by Mr. Emilio da Rosa, with sixteen points, and Mr. Antonio Batalho, with fifteen points.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

ATHLETIC MEETINGS

Germany-Italy-Japan Youth Contests

Tokyo, Aug. 30.

Reflecting the ties binding Germany, Italy and Japan on the strength of the anti-Comintern pact, a novel form of international sports contests will annually be held among the youthful citizens of Berlin, Rome and Tokyo.

Elaborate plans have been designed by the German sports authorities and have been endorsed by the Japanese and Italian authorities, to be put into practice with the beginning of this fall.

According to the plans, young men under the age of 18 in each capital will hold separate meets of athletic and swimming events in Berlin, Rome and Tokyo in accordance with fixed rules.

A joint committee appointed in the capital of the Power which is sponsoring the events will collect the records from the three cities and determine the winner.

Events in October

This year, each country is invited to hold the meets by October 15, the events including 100-metre, 400-metre and 800-metre runs, running broad jump, running high jump, pole-jump, hop-step-jump, discus-throwing, shot put and javelin-throw. The aquatic events will include 100-metre and 400-metre free styles, 200-metre breast stroke, 100-metre back stroke and 300-metre medley relay.

On December 15, a committee consisting of German sports officials, the Japanese and Italian Ambassadors in Berlin, will meet in Berlin to determine the winner city as well as individual winners.

The winning city will be awarded the prize presented by Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler, while the first three winners of each event will be given honorary certificates signed by the Mayor of Tokyo and by the Presidents of the Boy Scouts of Germany and Italy.

The international contests will be held annually, the winning country to be authorised to sponsor the meets for the following year.

This year's meets in Tokyo will be held on October 9, sponsored by the authorities of the Welfare Ministry.—*Domei.*

WELTERWEIGHT TITLE

Armstrong-Garcia Bout In October Or November

Redbank, New Jersey, Aug. 29.

Mike Jacobs has announced that he has virtually completed negotiations for the Henry Armstrong-Garcia welterweight title bout which will be held in either October or November. A definite date will be announced "when Henry's lip has healed sufficient for him to start training."

Jacobs anticipates a gate of $125,000 with close betting. Garcia is reckoned as the most dangerous puncher Henry has yet to meet.—*United Press.*

Tel. 28151.

INTRODUCING

"GRAHAM"

THE

VITAMIN BREAD

MADE FROM THE WHOLE WHEAT

Samples have been submitted to local medical men, and most favourable reports have been received.

Graham Bread for Energy

PLAIN 32 cts. per lb.

FRUIT 40 cts. per lb.

BAKERY DEPT.

LANE CRAWFORD'S

The House of Quality & Service

AT THE QUEEN'S THEATRE

The most unique stage attraction ever presented in Hong Kong

FOR A SHORT SEASON ONLY

COMMENCING TO-MORROW

Daily at 9.30 p.m.

GENERAL PLATOFF'S

WORLD FAMOUS SENSATIONAL

Don Cossack Choir

25 Marvellous Russian Singers & Dancers

Musical Director NICHOLAS KOSTRUKOFF

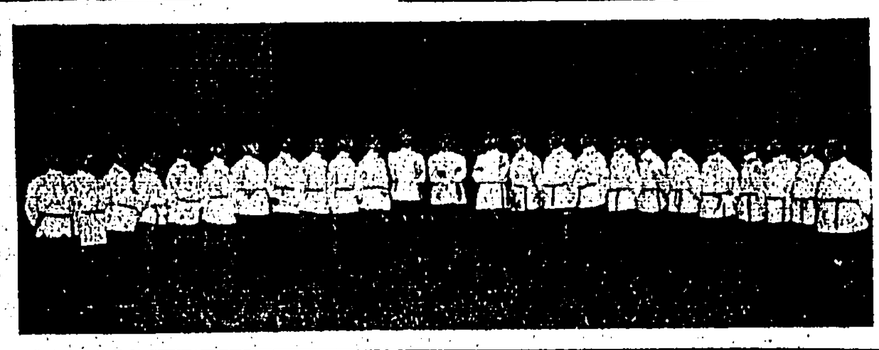
SENSATIONAL SWORD DANCER

Enormous Successes in Europe, South Africa, South America, New Zealand, Australia, Java, Sumatra, Malaya, Rangoon, India...

Soul Stirring Singing, Russian Songs, Legends and Lullabies, sung only as the Cossacks can sing them...

Prices of Admission:
$5.50, $4.40, $3.30, $2.20, $1.10

BE ADVISED—BOOK EARLY!



Here's Luck!

EWO BEER

You buy mostly water with old fashioned bottle cleaners.

White shoe cleaners in bottles are as old fashioned as the horse and buggy. To-day modern people, who want full value for their money, are using white shoe cleaner in tubes—KIWI.

With KIWI, you get all cleaner, a concentrated white that is always ready to use. There is none of the old bottle shaking, you use less water, the job is done quicker and with less mess and above all it is most economical. There are over 100 cleans in each tube of KIWI—enough for a season for two people.

GET A TUBE FOR THIS SUMMER NOW

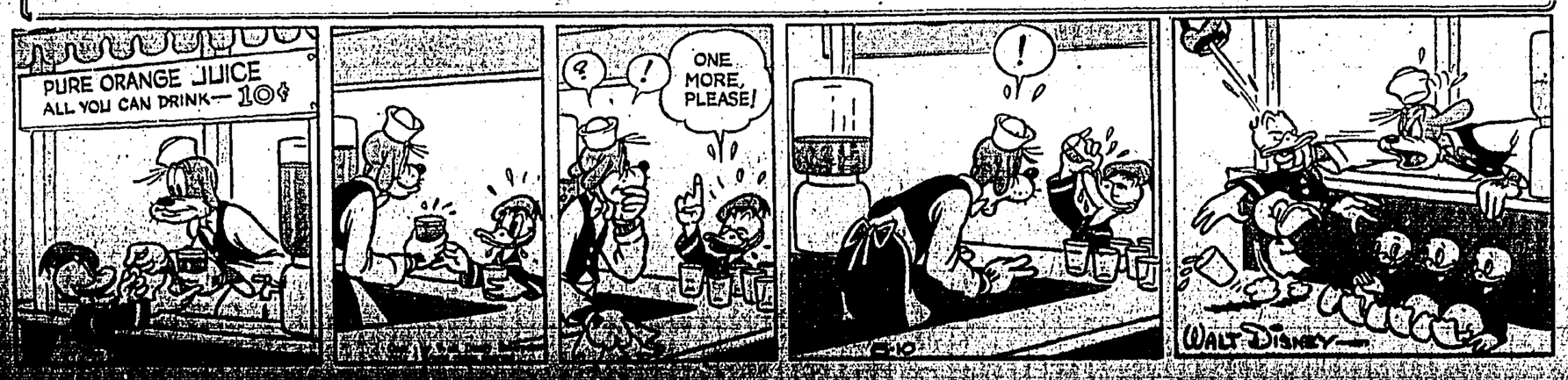
KIWI *White in* TUBES

LASTS A SEASON

FOR CANVAS, BUCK & WHITE KID

W1982

DONALD DUCK An Unquenchable Thirst By Walt Disney



Summer Sale

AT

Rolls

To-day Only

The White House, 12 Des Voeux Rd. C.

Erich Maria Remarque's

THREE COMRADES

Adapted For M. G. M. By BEATRICE FABER

Synopsis: It is the period directly after the war. Erich, Koster and Lenz, three inseparable comrades, have opened a small auto repair shop. They meet the profiteer, Franz Breuer, one of the newly influential men in Germany. With him is Patricia Hollmann. Then, failing in love with Erich, she breaks off her "friendship" with Breuer. There are troublesome undertones, however. Lenz has been warned by the revolutionaries about his work with the patriotic group and has been forced to discontinue it. Too, Patricia is troubled by a lung ailment, a fact which Erich doesn't know. Despite this the two young people find happiness together.

Copyright 1938 by Loew's, Inc.

Chapter Five

Spring budded into flower and burst upon an unchanted world in a riot of color and fragrance. Pat was sitting in the repair shop one night, waiting for Erich who was out with the taxi. She sank back into the chair, her eyes misty.

Out of all the maelstrom that had beset a troubled world she and Erich had managed to snatch some joy. It didn't matter whether it would last or not. That was the way of love. Once it had happened, it could go on forever, if only as a memory. It was like immortal music, never to be forgotten.

Koster looked up from a bashed fender he was fixing. "Pat," he said abruptly, "let me give you Erich in a nutshell. No, let me finish. Ability to make a living, better than average. Honesty, ten percent off for South America but that leaves ninety. Spirit, all there is."

She jumped up and moved around restlessly. "Otto, you're telling me things I know."

"Then why don't you marry him? Oh, I know he hasn't asked you. He's scared. Why don't you ask him?" No answer. He hammered at the fender viciously. "It's each other you want Pat. Never mind about anything else. Half the trouble in the world comes from worrying about what might happen."

Her lips quivered. He was opening her mind, daring her to probe into things best kept hidden. "Please don't talk about it Otto."

He levelled the hammer at her. "I'll *tell* you what's the matter with you. You're scared of suffering, scared of joy because you're afraid you might lose it. But you've got to think of Erich now. You're being a coward, you're being selfish."

"That's not true," she said very quietly. She looked away. "I told you once I'd been very ill. I'm just patched up now. It will come back." A cry burst from her. "Otto, don't let me marry him. Erich would want a happiness that could last. A home, children — not a future that might vanish any day."

Koster grasped her elbows. "Live, Pat. Take the gamble. Stake your life against a love like yours and Erich's every time. You can only win. If it's an hour, Pat, you can only win."

She whispered. "I'd have to tell him — "

He shook her. "No. That's part of it. Don't make him afraid. Just make him happy. Play to the limit. Aim at the stars."

Walking to the window, she looked up at the twinkling sky. "Do you suppose they'd mind if we aimed at them?" Her smile was wan and wistful. "I was told once that the very nearest star is forty million miles away."

And so it happened that just a week later Alfons' Bar was closed to visitors for the afternoon. The shades had been drawn, the tables and chairs set back against the walls.

Standing before the Burgomaster with Pat, Erich was sure that there had never been a finer place for a wedding. His heart thudded rapidly as the ceremony began. "Dearly beloved — " Alfons wiping his eyes. Koster and Lenz wearing still smiles. The phonograph playing softly. Joined hands. Now the ring. Trembling, he gathered Pat into his arms and took the sweetness of her lips.

The Burgomaster was whispering aggrievedly. "Wait a minute. Now, I pronounce you man and wife."

Then everyone laughed and chattered a great deal to cover up all the unshed tears and finally, with the wedding luncheon eaten and the wedding wine drunk it was time to leave for their honeymoon destination.

At the door Koster stopped Erich for a moment. "Remember the happy life you were going to come back to from this war? You're starting on it now."

Erich's eyes shone. "I'm sure of that Otto."

Koster nodded and said huskily. "We'll see to it. All four of us will see to it."

Down the country road sped the taxi devouring the miles that led to the little seaside resort. "What does the meter read?" Erich asked.

"Three hundred and eighteen marks." She laughed delightedly. "But don't worry, I know the driver. He's a husband of mine." Then she pointed eagerly. "Erich, look. The sea. And there's the hotel. Oh, it can't be. It looks just like the postcards."

He twisted around to kiss her. "I'm glad. I wouldn't be able to bear all this if it was real..."

But if not reality, then the better to dream. Dream in the cool green water, dream under the moon and stars, dream under the blazing sun. Erich had thought he knew his world. But that had been another place. Now, each day, he made a new and glorious discovery. About Pat. About himself.

They were lying on the beach late one evening and Erich said happily, "That Burgomaster had such a nice way of putting things. 'For better or worse' was one of his phrases. In whatnis and whatsis, in sickness and health, till death do us part." She turned away from him and emptiness leaped into his heart. "There, you see? I was afraid of that. You're bored."

She was facing him instantly. "Darling, I'm not. Let's talk."

His face shadowed. "I don't know anything about books or about music."

She tweaked his ear. "I'll teach you. It's time you went to school."

A sudden savage fury came over him for that year he had lost. He could show *her* a few things, how to keep a machine gun from jamming and prove why it's better to shoot a man in the stomach than the head. Then her smoky blue eyes were full upon him and it seemed as if a clean wind had come up and blown all ugly things away. "Oh Pat. I'll teach you things too. How to swim and drive and climb mountains and — and play tennis."

Her laugh caressed him. "You see how much you know?"

He rolled over and looked down into her face. "But I never knew I did 'til now. I thought I belonged to what's dead and gone. I suddenly know I'm alive, Pat. With you, I'm alive."

"*We're* alive darling. And I'm glad." She cupped his face in her hands and said tinily, "But maybe I can't learn all those things. Maybe you're in love with — a fragment."

He drew her close. "A lovely fragment, if ever there was one."

"Oh Erich, I love you so," she whispered, and gave him a kiss that was all fire and flame.

Afterwards, he looked around dazedly and said, "I've just been kissed. Would you mind telling me which way is east and west?"

She laughed tremulously, then cocked her head to one side. "Listen. A cuckoo bird. I've been counting. For every time he calls you have that number of years to live. Twenty three, twenty four, twenty five — "

"Imagine," Erich had arisen and was brushing himself off. "It's our silver wedding. Our handsome son and heir has left college and refused to go to war. Thrown into jail for the rest of his life—"

"Lift me up, Erich."

He dropped down and caught her so that she hung by her arms. "No darling, turn your wrists the other way."

A lancing pain shot through her chest as she struggled to pull herself up. Her face twisted and suddenly she coughed. Weakly. Just once. Dropping to the sand she landed in a peculiar sprawl, resembling a runner's crouch.

Erich burst into teasing laughter. "The idea is to go up, not down." He moved away. "All right, if that's what you want, I'll race you to the hotel and give you a good head start because I'm so hungry. Go!" She didn't move. "Go ahead Pat." But even as he spoke she coughed again, put her hand to her mouth and suddenly pitched forward. "Pat! What's the matter?"

Then the heavens seemed to split asunder and all the mighty gods of destruction descended. "Pat! Pat!" he cried, springing to her side. He gazed in horror. She was still and pale and there on the fine, white sand, spilled the very lifeblood from her throat, in an ever widening pool.

Each day he made a new discovery. About Pat. About himself.

Chapter Six

As if he were benumbed, Erich watched over Pat as she lay on the bed, a pack of cranked ice in a towel over her chest. Beside him stood the village doctor. "Is she all right? Is she better?" He breathed heavily, waiting for an answer that might send hope to his heart.

The Doctor countered. "Where was your wife being treated? Who is her doctor? Come, come, she must have had a doctor — for this — "

Faintly, Pat said, "Felix — Jaffe..."

"Professor Felix Jaffe? Young man, get in touch with him at once. No, I can't tell you anything definite now. She must stop bleeding first."

Renewed fear hit Erich like a hammer blow. Rushing to the phone, he put through a call to Koster. A moment later he returned and spoke to the still form on the bed. "Koster will find Jaffe. Now we'll be all right. We'll be fine now, Pat."

Her smile was rich with trust and gratitude. Salt stung his eyes. On one chair was her bathing suit and sport peignoir. There were her leather sandals on the floor. All of it, the costume of an outdoor, healthy woman. Lovely, precious Pat. She'd have to get well. "In sickness and in health — "

The Doctor's voice cut in. "You say your friend Koster will be here in two hours with Jaffe? And by automobile? But that's impossible. The way's full of bends and fog. It'll be three hours at the least."

Erich smiled twistedly. The Doctor didn't know "Baby," didn't know that she could do ninety-five when the need was there. He shivered. Well, tonight she'd be doing ninety-five. "Two hours Doctor," he said quietly, "that's all," and took up his tense vigil by the bed again.

The minutes dragged by, lengthened into an hour, an hour and a half, two hours. And from down the road there came the sound of a roaring motor.

Waiting in the hall with Erich as Jaffe made his examination, Koster inhaled deeply on a cigarette. Only his shaking fingers betrayed him. "Nice trip. Not bad. Only one patch of fog."

Erich paced the floor. "She never told me Otto, not a word." She had never thought of herself, just of making him happy. He threw out his hands like one seeking help. "Otto, nothing can ever happen to a girl like that."

Then the doctor was outside the door with some reassuring words. He motioned Erich to go into the bedroom.

"Very serious?" Koster asked the physician.

"I'll know more when she gets back to town. One thing is certain. She must go to a sanitarium in the Fall. By mid-October at the latest."

Koster nodded grimly. "She'll go."

No need for Erich to know though, until the time came. There were enough shadows over the city now.

Sitting on the edge of Pat's bed, Erich said softly, "We'll never be afraid Pat. Of anything." She began to weep silently. "Don't cry about us Pat. We're not unhappy. And soon you'll be well and we'll all be the happier." Then he buried his face in her hands. "I love you Pat," he sobbed, "I love you. Get well for me."

And as if all the love and faith around her were a life-giving draught Pat found herself walking within a month. Walking slowly to be sure — but moving on her own two feet. Summer grew hotter and even the boys seemed to wilt. Then, with the first tang of autumn air, terror struck at Pat's breast. Any day now she would have to leave. Mutinously, she closed her lips over the word "sanitarium", and stayed on.

Regally ensconced in a pillowed chair one night before the dinner table she listened to the boys account of a street brawl they had been drawn into that day. It had all come about over a towing job. The cowards had put his car in their hands when along had come the Vogt Brothers who had demanded the job for themselves. The episode was typical of the gangster methods of business that had sprung up all over the city.

"You have to hand it to this Erich," Koster grinned. "He's a natural fighter. How many were there Erich?"

"Fourteen," he said complacently. He perched on the arm of Pat's chair and held her close. "I softened 'em up for you."

Lenz snickered. "By the time we arrived they were all worn out chasing your husband."

Pat nodded with mock cynicism. "I begin to understand. Some little boy was there first and got the job so you three bullies jumped on him and beat him up." But her smile faded as Erich and Lenz left for the workshop. "And all that — fighting, danger — for one hundred marks."

Koster brushed away her remark with some table crumbs. "The easiest money we ever earned. It's been a slow summer — "

"But what do *I* give?" she demanded piteously. "What can I ever give?"

He covered her hands with his. "Just being here, that's what. Where you walk, we walk beside you." He rose to catch up with the others. "Just remember that, Pat. Always."

Walking along the winding street the three men found themselves in a vicious gale. But necessity helped them beat it back. There was work to be done at the shop and every penny counted these days.

They halted however, as they came abreast of a warehouse where a speaker was addressing a large crowd.

"Winter is coming again," he was thundering, "and for many long years now there has been a simple, bitter cry from the German people. 'Give us food; give us shelter; give us work.' And there is still no answer."

"It's Dr. Becker," Lenz muttered and shame lanced through him that he was not standing there beside his old friend.

"But make no mistake about it," the speaker continued, "there is a madness abroad in the land. It is entering your home like a thief in the night, to steal away your honor and your liberty. It is tyranny born of the arrogance of ignorance and hysteria — a tyranny so ghastly that it will compel you eventually to surrender all your rights as human beings."

Suddenly there was the sinister sound of marching feet and from around the corner there came a group of some three hundred semi-uniformed men. A hush fell and time seemed to stop. Then, faltering once, the speaker went on. A concerted cry went up. The marchers were pushing their way through the mob. Then, plainly seen, a uniformed hand hurled a rock. It glanced off the brow of the speaker. Blood began to trickle down his face.

Erich heard a smothered oath and the next second Lenz had broken away and plunged into the mass of milling rioters. From the center of the crowd Becker made a gesture to his followers. Lenz was in their midst as they dashed to the warehouse and locked the door.

Koster and Erich looked at each other, stunned. It had all happened in the twinkling of an eye. To reach Lenz now was impossible. The hoodlums were solidly blocking the way before the warehouse door. They would have to bide their time.

Loadenly, Erich returned home and made of his face a blank as Pat met him in the front hall. She clung to him. "Oh darling I was afraid you had been blown away. Say it Erich, say it."

With his heart heavy he spoke the words like a ritual. "I thank God for you Pat. I thank God for you every second."

The phone rang. It was Doctor Jaffe. "How did she stand the trip?" Erich repeated after him in amazement? "What trip?"

"The trip to the sanitarium. She knew she was supposed to go a week ago. If you want to keep that girl alive, you send her off right away, Herr Lohkamp. Don't forget. Right away."

Clammy with fear Erich faced Pat. "You'll have to leave tomorrow Pat. You should have told me."

She denied this feverishly. "No, no. I stole a week anyway. And they can't take it back. It's mine to keep for ever." She kissed him twice, lightly. "Erich please — say it again."

His lips were dry and hot. Then with anguish ripping his voice, he said it over and over. "Thank God for you. Thank God for you, Pat."

(Lenz is virtually a prisoner in the warehouse and now, Pat must leave for the sanitarium. Will she come back to Erich? Can he ever find happiness again with the three he loves? Read tomorrow's exciting instalment.)

The episode was typical of the gangster methods of business.

When You Reach FORTY

SOME American doctors who recently visited Dr. Serge Voronof and his monkey farm, returned without being seriously impressed by the successes claimed by the Lord High Rejuvenator.

One of them has expressed himself in an American medical journal as doubtful about the whole gland-grafting business, and states his opinion that better rejuvenation may be got by proper enjoyment of the "two cheapest things you can get to-day"—sun and air.

There is commonsense in what he says, and it seems a pity that our people cannot all take greater advantage of those two blessed and plentiful commodities. We know that as we approach the middle of life certain changes take place in our bodies, and if we wish to prolong life, under pleasant conditions and to its full span, it is wise for every man and woman on reaching forty to retrench and prepare the ground.

At forty life should be taken more easily, and there should be a general slowing down of the engine to ease the works and avoid unnecessary strain. Owing to the deposition of lime salts and uric crystals in our tissues in the middle and later stages of life, the tissues lose some of their elasticity, and the whole system stands severe strain less readily. It is largely because of this increased strain on rigidity that we get the mysterious collapses of the middle-aged on the golf course, swimming bath, and cycling tour.

It is not uncommon on a holiday for father (and mother too!) who so often talk about the lax ways of youth that "isn't a patch on its elders," to show them how to do it. And there are times when this natural parental yearning leads to trouble.

A Real Danger

As we reach forty and over the less strenuous exercise the better. If one is an athlete and has always kept training up it is all very well, though even then there should be wise moderation—But for the sedentary man who spends his life in the office there is real danger after forty if he indulges in sporadic bursts of strain now and then. The fact is, physical fitness clubs and things of that sort are often mere death traps for the elders and are better avoided.

There is real sense in telling us that the best rejuvenators are sun and air, which we can take at our ease and leisure and ad lib, and we should all of us get our full money's worth whenever we can.

As regards the sun, one must not play the fool with the god of light and it is better to seek the shade when the rays are fierce than bake and boil up to the point of sunstroke—a state of things that always lies in wait for the middle-aged, office-shade man who is "getting a corporation" and a bit thin on the top. Unless he protects his head and spine, his medulla, that is just under his skull at the back, being most sensitive to heat rays, is generally the first organ to become affected.

Sun-bathing is a grand tonic—in reason, gradually done and with proper precautions; though too much insolation leads to later lassitude and depression.

A Simple Matter

As for the air, everyone should this summer try and adapt his lungs to greater aerial capacity. It is quite simple, and there is no need to bother about silly breathing exercises which were so fashionable a few years ago, so over-rated, and often merely exhausting. Instead, take a general, almost unconscious full inspiration while resting, walking, lying abed. As you sit in the garden or walk to business just notice now and then how you are breathing, then very easily make the inspirations, and expirations just a little deeper. That is all. Not gasps and strong gulps as with the "deep-breathing" tricks, but simply slight prolongation, slowing and deepening of the act of respiration.

There is one simple way in which we can all do a little in the way of rejuvenation. The trick lies in taking full advantage of those two cheap things, sun and air.

Doctor.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE —

Without Calomel—And You'll Jump Out of Bed Full of Vim and Vigour.

The liver should pour out two pints of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You get constipated. Your whole system is poisoned and you feel sour, sunk and the world looks punk.

Laxatives are only makeshifts. A mere bowel movement doesn't get at the cause. It takes those famous Carter's Little Liver Pills to get these two pints of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up". Harmless, gentle, yet amazing in making bile flow freely. Look for the name Carter's Little Liver Pills on the red package. Refuse anything else.

COUNT THE "TELEGRAPHS" EVERYWHERE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

STEAMSHIPS - HOTELS - RAILWAYS - EXPRESS

BERTHING PLANS FOR 1939 ARE OPEN

MAKE BOOKINGS EARLY — to secure accommodation desired

TO CANADA, UNITED STATES and EUROPE

via Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA .....7.00 a.m., Fri., Sept. 2.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN via Honolulu .....Noon, Fri., Sept. 16.
EMPRESS OF ASIA .....6.00 a.m., Fri., Sept. 30.
EMPRESS OF CANADA via Honolulu .....Noon, Fri., Oct. 14.

Air-conditioned equipment on C.P.R. Trans-Continental Trains. Frequent Canadian Pacific Atlantic sailings to European Ports.

TO MANILA

EMPRESS OF JAPAN .....Fri., Sept. 9.

Union Building — Canadian Pacific — Telephone 20752

BARBER-WILHELMSEN LINE

Monthly Service to

BOSTON AND NEW YORK

via LOS ANGELES & PANAMA CANAL PORTS

also taking cargo on through Bills of Lading for West Indies ports, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Rio Grande do Sol Buenos Aires, South America.

NEXT SAILING:—

M.V. "TAI YIN"

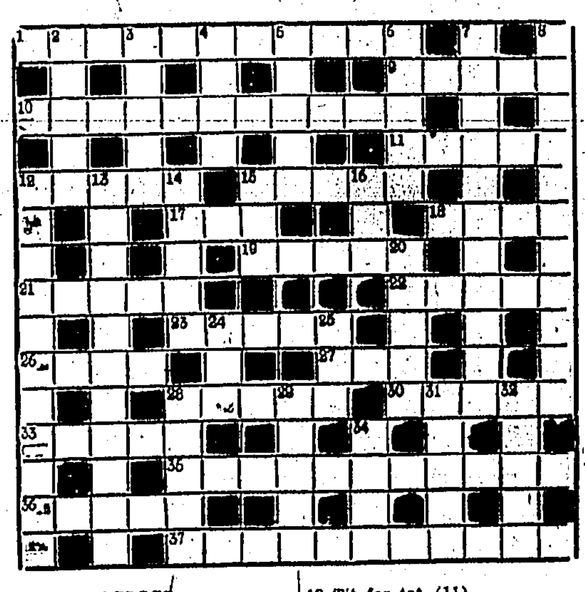
18th September.

DODWELL & CO., LTD.

Agents.

Hongkong Bank Bldg. Telephone 28021.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

1 Mean as a man boxing (11).
9 Town of France (5).
10 With hesitation changing in a fly (11).
11 The man to fish in a way (5).
12 Famous sculler (5).
15 Moors may be at his disposal (5).
17 This dish contains this (3).
18 Book of the O.T. (4).
19 A mixed dream (5).
21 This young fellow used not necessarily to be a rogue (5).
22 Got up (5).
23 Colouring matter often mixed with sea-water (5).
26 Oriental potentate (4).
27 Was victorious but is now suffering a reverse (3).
28 Behead this fish and it becomes a girl (5).
30 Like a peer soon (5).
33 A product of tar (5).
35 A bird not an organ pipe (11).
36 Used by cowboys (5).
37 In the depths of the country seedlings planted out must be this in a drought (two words—4, 7).

DOWN

2 S. American quadruped (5).
3 Fabulous creature (5).
4 Make a shape (4).
5 The drug that upset the girls? (5).
6 In any newspaper she would not be an uninteresting advertisement (5).
7 This makes a stag rub more (11).
8 Without pause (11).
12 Unfortunately many people not in business are guilty of this sort of office work (11).
13 Tit for tat (11).
14 Where pyres were made? (5).
15 P.S. about this are lawyers work perhaps (3).
16 Plant that would certainly be found in 9 across (3).
20 This part of the bag-pipes is not idle always (5).
24 One of the deer family (3).
25 Scottish loch (3).
28 Animal that occurs in the title of a play by Shakespeare (5).
29 This movement sometimes becomes a bore (5).
31 "Time travels in divers paces with divers persons. I'll tell you who time—s withal" ("As You Like It") (5).
32 Foreign town that is either subject or superior in England (5).
34 This pet is generally a protection (4).

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

■	E	■	P	■	D	■	A	■	T	■	S	■	N	■
I	M	P	L	Y	I	N	G	■	H	A	L	L	E	Y
■	B	■	I	■	A	■	E	■	E	■	I	■	S	■
I	R	O	N	C	L	A	D	■	B	Y	P	A	S	S
■	Y	■	T	■	S	■	■	E	■	■	L	■	E	■
G	O	T	H	I	C	U	P	S	■	T	A	L	C	■
U	■	O	■	R	■	F	■	O	■	S	■	B	■	R
N	E	W	P	O	R	T	■	R	U	M	M	A	G	E
S	■	R	■	N	■	I	■	K	■	U	■	M	■	T
H	O	O	D	■	S	C	A	P	E	G	R	A	C	E
O	■	P	■	■	L	■	■	I	■	■	A	■	A	■
T	W	E	L	V	E	■	R	R	L	E	■	V	A	N
■	A	■	E	■	I	■	O	■	Y	■	A	■	D	■
A	R	G	E	N	T	■	S	E	R	A	G	L	I	O
■	E	■	K	■	■	E	■	■	E	■	■	D	■	■

NEWS OF THE DAY IN PICTURES FROM FAR AND NEAR

Hongkong Telegraph

PHOTONEWS

HAPPENINGS AS SEEN BY THE CAMERA'S EYE

TWO TERRIBLE YEARS

ON July 17, 1936, a brief message sent from Madrid told the world of a "military revolt in Spanish Morocco."

From that day war has raged in Spain, more than half a million men, women and children have been killed and at least the same number wounded. Damage to property is so high that it cannot be estimated.

Two million Spaniards, who two years ago were leading a normal civilian life, are now refugees, more than a 100,000 of them in foreign countries.

General Franco, rebel leader, with Moors (like those on the left). Italians and Germans, now controls two-thirds of the Spanish mainland, African possessions, and islands, except Minorca.

Here is a picture-news summary of those two terrible years.

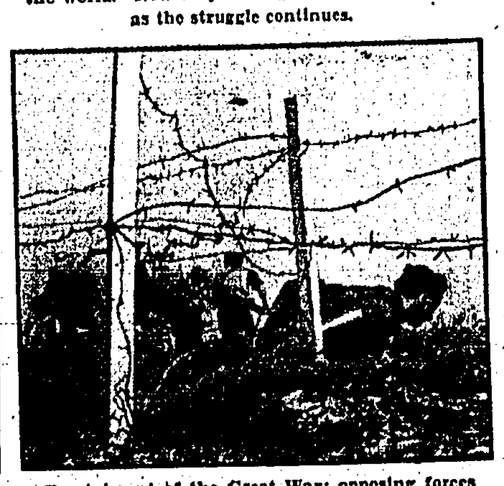
Barricades, mostly manned by civilians, gave assurance that loyalist Spain was prepared to give its life in defence of democracy.

Air raids, with their appalling death roll, horrified the world. Now they are regarded as inevitable as the struggle continues.

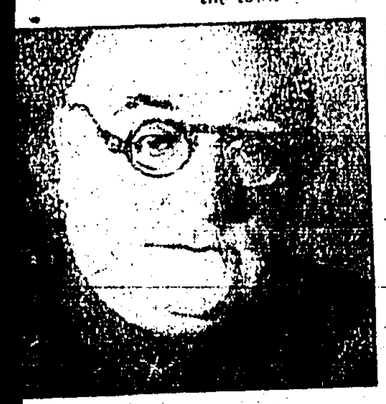
Then came the defence and fall of Irun; their casualty lists lengthened when the rebels entered the town

France threw open her frontier to the women and children who managed to escape the carnage.

Bombs fell from planes manned by foreign "volunteers." Here, in Barcelona, 38 were killed by one bomb



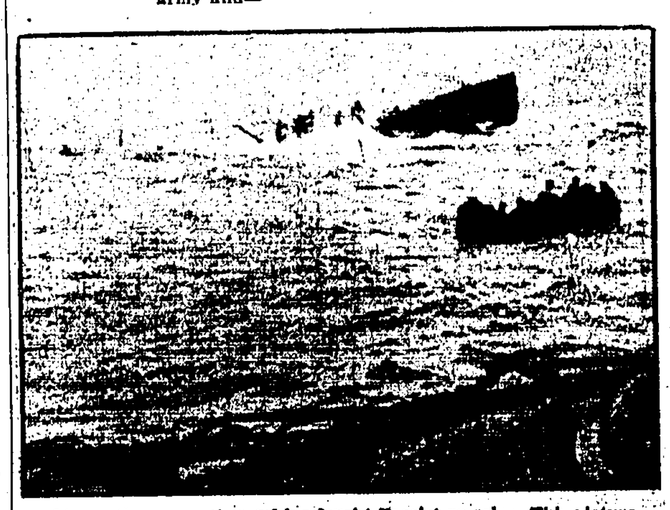
Reminiscent of the Great War; opposing forces engaged in trench warfare, each yard lost or gained with human lives.



To General Miaja (left) fell the task of defending Madrid. He reorganised the army and—

—enlisted the help of all citizens. Many women took their place in the firing line, while—

—others worked in munition factories to supply the new army with much-needed guns and shells.



At sea, Government warships fought Fascist vessels. This picture was taken as the submarine B6 sank off Ferrol, a victim of the rebel ship Velasco.

And to-day, with the Spanish conflict in its third year, people are still being killed in hundreds.

Deadly note of present British ships are still being bombed and sunk by Franco planes with loss of British lives. While the tragedy of Spain goes on—

the world remembers the victims of two terrible years.

P & O-BRITISH INDIA (APCAR) AND EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN LINES

(Companies Incorporated in England.)

Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading for STRAITS, JAVA & BURMA, CEYLON, INDIA, IRANIAN GULF, MAURITIUS, E. & S. AFRICA, AUSTRALASIA, INCLUDING NEW ZEALAND AND QUEENSLAND PORTS, RED SEA, EGYPT, EUROPE, ETC.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL FORTNIGHTLY DIRECT ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS (Under Contract with H.M. Government.)

All vessels may call at any ports on or off the route,—and the route and all sailings are subject to change or deviation with or without notice.

Steamers	Tons	From H'Kong about	Destination
CORFU	14,500	3rd Sept. Noon.	Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Sept.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.
CHITRAL	7,000	17th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
BEHAR	3,000	24th Sept.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam & A'werp.
CARTHAGE	14,500	1st Oct.	Marseilles & London.
*SOUDAN	6,000	8th Oct.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam & A'werp.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	15th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
RANCHI	17,000	29th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
*BURDWAN	6,000	5th Nov.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.

* Cargo only † Calls Casablanca All vessels may call at Malta

BRITISH INDIA APCAR SAILINGS (SOUTH.)

KILAWA	10,000	10th Sept.	S'pore, Port Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta
ANTHIA	8,000	24th Sept.	DO.
ALMA	10,000	3th Oct.	DO.
IRDHANA	8,000	22nd Oct.	DO.
HIRALA	8,000	5th Nov.	DO.

B.I. Apcar Line Steamers have excellent accommodation for 1st & 2nd class passengers

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (SOUTH.)

ANDA	7,000	2nd Sept., 11 a.m.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
ANKIN	7,000	1st Oct.	
ELLORE	7,000	4th Nov.	

Regular monthly sailings from H'kong to Shanghai & Japan & H'kong to Australia Hong Kong to Sydney—19 days.

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN.

ANTHIA	8,000	31st Aug., 10 a.m.	Japan.
ARTHAGE	14,500	1st Sept. Noon.	Shanghai & Japan.
OUDAN	6,000	3rd Sept. 6 a.m.	Shanghai & Japan.
ANKIN	7,000	4th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
ALMA	10,000	14th Sept.	Japan.
AJPUTANA	17,000	15th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
IRDHANA	8,000	28th Sept.	Japan.
ANCHI	17,000	29th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.

* Cargo only

Sailings are approximate and subject to alteration without notice, parcels not more than 8 c.ft. will be received at the Company's Office up to noon of sailing.

For Passage Rates, Handbooks, Freight, etc., apply to

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO. Agents.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued and Fully Paid-up $30,000,000
Reserve Funds:—
Sterling ..... £ 6,500,000
Hongkong Currency Reserve $10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:—
T. E. Pearce, Esq., Chairman.
Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Deputy Chairman.
J. K. Bousfield, Esq. W. H. Lock, Esq.
A. H. Compton, Esq. G. Miskin, Esq.
Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell K. S. Morrison, Esq.
M. T. Johnson Esq. Hon. Mr. A. L. Shields
Sir Vandeleur M. Grayburn, CHIEF MANAGER.

BRANCHES:—

AMOY	LONDON
BANGKOK	LYONS
BATAVIA	MALACCA
BOMBAY	MANILA
CALCUTTA	MUAR (JOHORE)
CANTON	MUKDEN
CHEFOO	NEW YORK
COLOMBO	PEIPING
DAIREN	PENANG
FOOCHOW	RANGOON
HAIPHONG	SAIGON
HAMBURG	SAN FRANCISCO
HANKOW	SHANGHAI
HARBIN	SINGAPORE
HONGKEW	SOURABAYA
ILOILO	SUNGEI PATANI
IPOH	SWATOW
JOHORE	TIENTSIN
KOBE	TOKYO
KOWLOON	TSINGTAO
KUALA LUMPUR	YOKOHAMA

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and other currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

ALSO up to date SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES in various sizes TO LET.

Hongkong, 24th August 1938.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

The Business of the above Bank is conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. Rules may be obtained on application.

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
V. M. GRAYBURN, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 24th August 1938.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853
HEAD OFFICE:—LONDON.
38 Bishopsgate, E.C.1.

Paid-up Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,000,000

MANCHESTER BRANCH:
71 Mosley St., Manchester.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES:

Alor Star	Ipoh	Saigon
Amritsar	Iloilo	Semarang
Bangkok	Karachi	Seremban
Batavia	Klang	Shanghai
Bombay	Kobe	Singapore
Calcutta	Kuala	Sittiawan
Canton	Lumpur	Sourabaya
Cawnpore	Kuching	Taiping
Cebu	Madras	Tientsin
Colombo	Manila	Tongkah (Bhuket)
Delhi	Medan	Tsingtao
Haiphong	New York	Yokohama
Hamburg	Peiping (Peking)	
Hankow	Penang	
Harbin	Rangoon	
Hongkong		

Foreign Exchange and General Banking business transacted.

Current Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

The Bank's Head Office in London undertakes Executor & Trustee business, and claims recovery of British Income Tax overpaid, on terms which may be ascertained at any of its Agencies & Branches.

R. A. CAMIDGE, Manager.

Hongkong, 20th June, 1938.

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital ..... $ 5,500,000.00
Reserve and Undivided Profits ..... $ 2,770,726.70

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG
10, Des Voeux Road, Central.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:—
Sir Shouson Chow, Chairman.
Li Koon Chun, Esq. Fung Ping Wah, Esq.
P. K. Kwok, Esq. Li Lan Sang, Esq.
Wong Yun Tong, Esq. Wong Chu Son, Esq.
Chang Chung Shek, Esq. Kan Ying Po, Esq.
KAN TONG PO, Esq., Chief Manager.
LI TSE FONG, Esq., Manager.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:

Amoy	Melbourne	Shanghai
Batavia	Nagasaki	Singapore
Bombay	New York,	Sourabaya
Calcutta	Osaka	Swatow
Canton	Paris	Sydney
Haiphong	Peiping	Taihoku
Hankow	Penang	Tientsin
Honolulu	Rangoon	Tokyo
Kobe	Saigon	Vancouver
Kowloon	San Francisco	Yokohama
London	Seattle	
Manila	Semarang	

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and Foreign Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

Safe Deposit Boxes To Let.

KAN TONG PO, Manager.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Head Office:—15, Gracechurch Street, London, E.C.3.

Authorised Capital £3,000,000
Subscribed Capital 1,500,000
Paid-up Capital 1,050,000
Reserve Fund and Rest 1,247,830

BANKERS:
The Bank of England & Midland Bank, Ltd.

BRANCHES:—

Bangkok	Ipoh	Madras
Bombay	Kuantan	New York
Calcutta	Kandy	Penang
Colombo	Karachi	Rangoon
Delhi	Kota Bharu	Shanghai
Galle	Kuala Lipis	Simla
Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur	Singapore
Howrah	Kuala Trengganu	

HONGKONG BRANCH.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

TRUSTEE AND EXECUTORSHIP UNDERTAKEN.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at Rates that may be ascertained on application.

D. BENSON, Manager.

The P. & O. Banking Corporation, Ltd.

(Incorporated in England, 1920).

Authorised Capital £5,000,000
Subscribed and Paid-up £2,594,160
Reserve Fund ..... £ 180,000

HEAD OFFICE:
117-123, Leadenhall Street, London, E.C.3.
WEST END BRANCH:
14-16, Cockspur Street, London, S.W.1.

BRANCHES:—Bombay, Calcutta, Calicut, Coimbatore, Colombo, Hongkong, Madras, Shanghai, Singapore.

Agencies:—In all the principal towns of the world.

General Exchange and Banking business transacted. Loans and overdrafts granted on approved security. Current and Fixed Deposit accounts opened.

SAVINGS ACCOUNTS IN LOCAL CURRENCY:—Interest allowed at rates which may be obtained on application.

STERLING SAVINGS ACCOUNTS:—Interest allowed at rates which may be obtained on application.

TRAVELLERS' LETTERS OF CREDIT, TRAVELLERS' CHEQUES AND PASSENGER LETTERS OF CREDIT (for use on board P. & O. and B. I. Steamers and at Ports of Call) are issued at current rate of exchange and free of commission. AMERICAN EXPRESS TRAVELLERS' CHEQUES sold and cashed.

British Income Tax Recovered.

Executorships and Trusteeships undertaken.

G. H. BELL, Manager.

Hongkong, 26th March 1938.

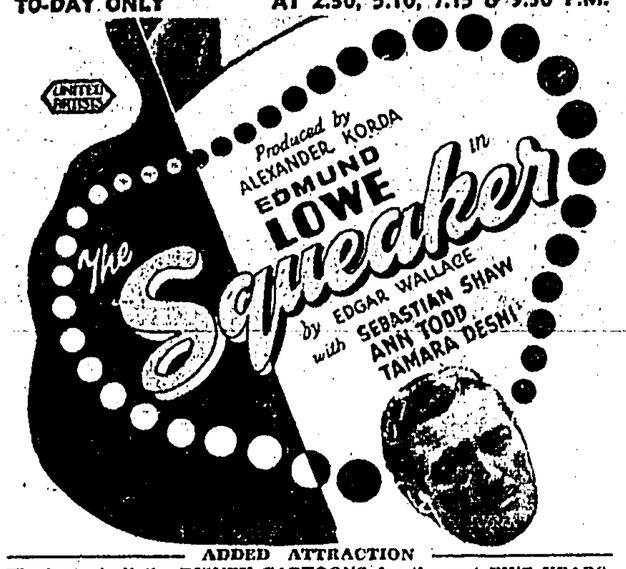
"TELEGRAPH" WAR MAP

A specially prepared map of the Northern War Zone in China. 15½ by 11 inches, printed on art paper.

Price 20 cents

Postage extra.

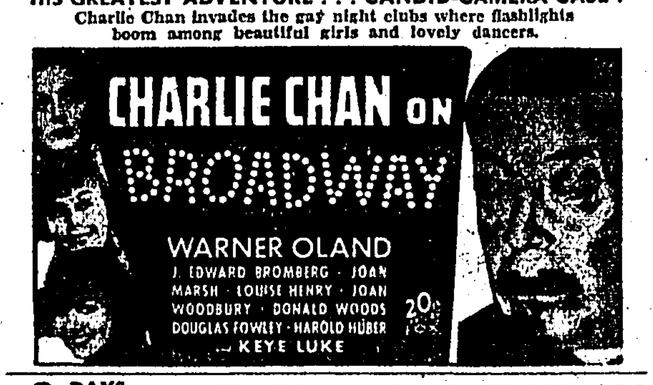
KINGS
AIR-CONDITIONED THEATRE
TO-DAY ONLY AT 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.30 P.M.



ADDED ATTRACTION
The best of all the DISNEY CARTOONS for the past FIVE YEARS. Every one an Academy Award Winner.
"FLOWERS & TREES" - COUNTRY COUSINS" - "TORTOISE AND THE HARE" - "3 ORPHAN KITTENS" - "3 LITTLE PIGS"
ALL IN TECHNICOLOUR

TO-MORROW Columbia JOE E. BROWN - LYDA ROBERTI in "WIDE OPEN FACES"

TAKE ANY TRAM OR HAPPY VALLEY BUS
4 SHOWS DAILY 2.30-5.15 7.15-9.30
ORIENTAL THEATRE
FLEMING ROAD WANCHAI TEL 28473
2 DAYS ONLY TO-DAY • TO-MORROW
THE GREAT WHITE WAY GIVES CHAN HIS GREATEST ADVENTURE . . . CANDID-CAMERA CASE!
Charlie Chan invades the gay night clubs where flashlights boom among beautiful girls and lovely dancers.



2 DAYS ONLY FRIDAY and SATURDAY
THE MOST GLORIOUS LOVE STORY EVER WRITTEN!
In the new perfected Technicolour.
"RAMONA"
LORETTA YOUNG
DON AMECHE
and 1000 others.
MATINEES: 20c.-30c • EVENINGS: 20c.-30c.-50c.-70c.

4 SHOWS DAILY 2.30 - 5.20 7.20 - 9.30
MAJESTIC THEATRE
NATHAN ROAD KOWLOON TEL. 57222
MATINEES: 20c.-30c. • EVENINGS: 20c.-30c.-50c.-70c.
• TO-DAY & TO-MORROW •
LOVE . . . THAT'S FRANK! . . . THAT'S HONEST! . . . THAT'S DARING! . . . THAT'S SENSATIONAL!

• FRIDAY, ONE DAY ONLY! •
RETURN SHOWING BY SPECIAL REQUEST!
LUISE RAINER SPENCER TRACY in "BIG CITY"
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Sensational Drama!

Count the "TELEGRAPHS" Everywhere

VIOLENT YANGTSE FIGHTING

Repeated Japanese Attacks Repulsed

Nanchang, Aug. 31.

Fighting is raging on all fronts on the south bank of the Yangtse River with increasing violence.

In the Juichang sector Moshan (Grindstone Hill), Hungshan and Moanchuan (Saddle Spring), strategic points on the highway leading from Juichang to Matou and Yangsin, remain the scene of bitter contention. Japanese attacking these points have again and again been hurled back with heavy losses.

It is said that on one occasion the Japanese succeeded in occupying two-thirds of Moshan in a fierce onslaught under smoke screens and with the aid of tear gas. When the situation was tense, Chinese reinforcements rushed up, outflanked them and recaptured the hill.

An attempt by a Japanese column to push from Juichang southeastward to cut the Nanchang-Kiukiang Railway at Hwanglaomen, a station south of Shaho, was thwarted by the vigilant Chinese troops yesterday. Two Chinese columns intercepted the Japanese at Chowchinchai, 10 kilometres north-west of Hwanglaomen. In the ensuing engagement the Japanese were routed, leaving many dead and wounded on the battlefield.

In the Shaho sector on the Nanchang-Kiukiang Railway, Chinese and Japanese artillery units had a fierce duel throughout yesterday. Japanese infantry and cavalry units which tried to rush the Chinese positions were repulsed.

A Japanese attack on Tunganling, west of Singtze on the west shore of Poyang Lake was also repelled.—*Central News.*

FREQUENT ASSAULTS

Hankow, Aug. 31.

Chinese despatches state that the Japanese attacked the Chinese positions on the Juichang front no less than thirteen times on Saturday, repeating the onslaughts on Sunday and Monday.

Fighting is said to have been of such a severe nature that, according to a Chinese *communique*, one Japanese detachment was completely wiped out, while the Chinese also suffered heavy casualties.

The Chinese positions are stated, however, to be still intact.

The Japanese yesterday succeeded in penetrating the Chinese defences south-west of Juichang, but in a counter-attack the Chinese recovered all the lost ground.

At Shaho south-west of Kuikang, after an artillery duel yesterday afternoon, the Japanese are reported to have attacked the Chinese positions but are said to have been repulsed.

The Chinese *communique* also claims that a Japanese attack on the Chinese positions in the hills south of Singtze, on the west shore of Lake Poyang, was also driven back.—*Reuter.*

HEADLESS BODY FOUND IN SEINE

Paris, Aug. 30.

A headless body found floating in the Seine has been tentatively identified as Rudolf Klement, former secretary to M. Leon Trotsky.

He disappeared six weeks ago.—*United Press.*

ROCKET CAR DRIVER DIES SUDDENLY

Vienna, Aug. 30.

Dr. Fritz von Opel, famous Austrian motor-racer and inventor of the rocket car, died suddenly to-day at the age of 39 years.

He visited Hongkong on a round-the-world tour in 1932.—*Reuter.*

Dr. von Opel was born at Russelsheim-au-Main in May, 1899, the grandson of Adam Opel, founder of the famous cycle and motor works.

During the war he served first in the army and then in the air force, being stationed in Belgium. Afterwards he studied at the Darmstadt Technical College and entered the family firm, taking charge of the cycle section.

Opel was connected with Valier in the "rocket car" experiments. The first test took place on a track at his works in 1928, without a driver, but during the second trial Opel was at the wheel and achieved a speed of 140 m.p.h. Later tests led to the destruction of two cars which blew up. At the same time Opel was engaged in the construction of a "rocket" aeroplane, the first flight of which on June 12, 1928, is said to have been a success.

FAMOUS SURGEON PASSES

SIR DAVID WILKIE

London, Aug. 30.

It is disclosed that the death occurred on Sunday of Sir David Wilkie, the famous abdominal surgeon.—*United Press.*

Sir David Wilkie, who was Professor of Surgery at the Edinburgh University, was born at Kirriemuir in 1882. He was educated at Edinburgh University, and later in Bonn, Bern and Vienna.

For his research in abdominal surgery, particularly in peritonitis, acute intestinal obstruction, duodenal ulcers, diseases of the appendix, biliary passages and spleen, he was awarded the Liston Victoria Jubilee Prize in 1918. He is the author of several medical and surgical text books and was President of the Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland.

Banded Krait Killed On Harlech Road

A large banded krait was killed on the Harlech Road in the Peak district last night by Mr. R. S. W. Paterson. The snake, which measured fifty-four inches, was first noticed coiled up on the road by the ricksha puller. A large rock was used as the means to effect the *coup-de-grace*.

These snakes, which are most venomous, are rarely encountered on the Peak. In India, where they are common, there is a native legend which states that when one of them has killed a man, the tip of the tail becomes black.

They are distinguishable by the alternating bands of orange and black. The tip of the tail of the specimen killed by Mr. Paterson last night *was black!*

ATTEMPT TO KILL STALIN

Chauffeur Held In Moscow

Warsaw, Aug. 30.

According to a report published in the Polish newspapers to-day, Stalin was involved in a car accident whilst travelling through a town 12 miles outside Moscow.—*Trans-Ocean.*

ATTEMPT TO KILL

Warsaw, Aug. 30.

An automobile accident in which Stalin suffered a broken arm occurred on Saturday according to the *Krakauer Kurier* and it is alleged to have been an attempt on his life by the chauffeur of the car, a German Communist named Erich Schulze.

Riding in his armoured car, Stalin left Moscow on Saturday afternoon for Gorki and suddenly the chauffeur drove the car against a tree, killing two secret police officials who were accompanying Stalin and breaking the arm of the dictator above the elbow.

It is declared that Stalin's life was saved by the heavy construction and armoured plates of the car.

The chauffeur, who has been in Stalin's service for 10 years, was immediately arrested and will be tried for attempted assassination.—*Trans-Ocean.*

CELEBRATING QUEEN'S ASCENSION SEPT. 6

In connection with the 40th anniversary of Queen Wilhelmina's Ascension to the Throne of the Netherlands, on August 29, and her 58th birthday which falls to-day, it is learned from the consulate in Hongkong that local observances will be held on September 6.

STOP PRESS

TYPHOON HITS HAINAN ISLAND

More than 110 vessels were sunk and 230 people drowned when a typhoon swept over Hoihow, Pochin, Chinglankong, Sunyingkong, and other ports in Hainan Island on August 26, according to belated Chinese messages received here from Hainan. The total number of houses destroyed is not yet ascertained, but the loss of life is believed to be very heavy.

Thanks to a typhoon warning by the Chinese Maritime Customs in Hoihow, the major port of Hainan lost only three lives and three junks. Sunyingkong suffered the greatest losses—about a hundred people and 40 fishing junks.

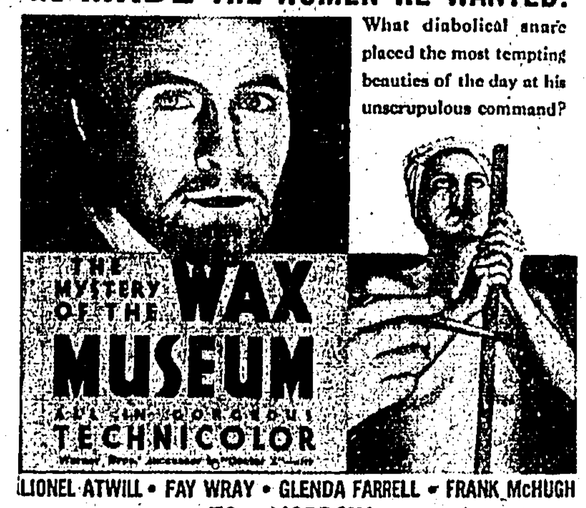
JUST OPENED!
A NEW AND FASCINATING RANGE OF—
LINGERIE, LINENS
AND DAINTY HANDKERCHIEFS
THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE SELECTION IN HONGKONG AT SPECIALLY FAVOURABLE PRICES
CALL AND INSPECT THESE BEAUTIFUL GOODS EARLY
THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI LACE CO.
50, QUEEN'S RD. C.

ALHAMBRA
• FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY •
WATCH HIM SMASH HIS WAY TO STARDOM!
"THE KID COMES BACK"
with WAYNE MORRIS

Directed by B. Reeves Eason • Screen Play by George Bricker • A WARNER BROS. PICTURE

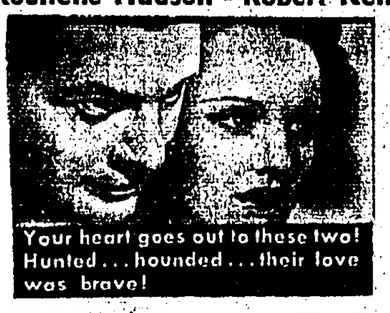
TO-MORROW: RETURN ENGAGEMENT OF "SABLE CICADA"

QUEEN'S
DAILY AT 2.30 · 5.15 · 7.20 2.9.30 · TEL. 31455
• TO-DAY, FOR ONE DAY ONLY •
HE MADE THE WOMEN HE WANTED!
What diabolical snare placed the most tempting beauties of the day at his unscrupulous command?



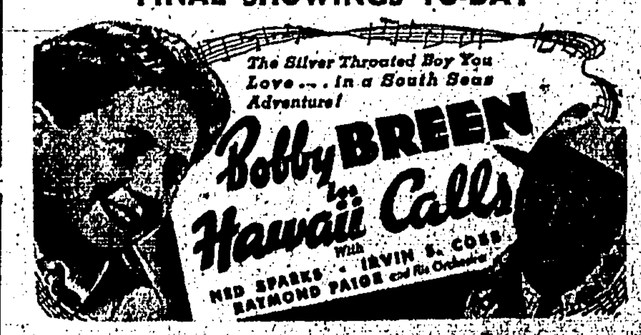
LIONEL ATWILL • FAY WRAY • GLENDA FARRELL • FRANK McHUGH
TO-MORROW
THE MOST THRILLING, BREATH-TAKING ADVENTURE
"UNDERSEA KINGDOM"
with RAY "CRASH" CORRIGAN

DAILY AT 2.30 5.20 7.20 9.20
STAR
HANKOW ROAD KOWLOON TEL. 57795
• FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY •
Rochelle Hudson - Robert Kent - Ed. J. Bromberg
in "THAT I MAY LIVE"



A 20th C. Fox Picture
TO-MORROW: Eddie Cantor in "KID FROM SPAIN"

CENTRAL
DAILY AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M.
PRICES: 35 cts. - 45 cts. - 55 cts.
QUEEN'S RD. CENTRAL: CAR PARK — JERVOIS STREET
Take Bus No. 4 or 5 going west, 3 min. from stop opposite Queen's
FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY



Toledo Wants New Station

Toledo.

How to replace a 50-year-old railway station, used by six railroads, is the problem faced by Toledo's Chamber of Commerce. Business leaders feel that a new Union Station might be financed under the new Federal programme.

Family Keeps Job Tradition

Toledo.

Tending a glass furnace is traditional in the Falls family. George Falls, who has been working 24 years in a glass factory, learned the coaxing art from his father. He also has two brothers in the glass industry.

Printed and Published for the Proprietors by Frederick Percy Fawcett at 1 and 3, Wyndham Street in the City of Victoria, Hongkong.

GET the 1938 Chevrolet Particulars before you buy a Car or Truck

FAR EAST MOTORS
THE FAR EAST AVIATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
20, Nathan Rd., Kowloon. Telephone 59101.

Manager
"Hongkong Telegraph"
The South China Morning Post, Ltd.,
Telegraph Street, Hongkong.

High Water:—13.48.
Low Water:—18.30.

FINAL EDITION

The Hongkong Telegraph.

FOUNDED 1881 No. 15611 星三拜禮 號一廿月八英港香 WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1938. 日七初月七閏 SINGLE COPY 10 CENTS $30.00 PER ANNUM

Library, Supreme Court

JUBILEE
1938
DUNLOP
50 YEARS OF GROWTH
DUNLOP Fort
The Tyre with 2,000 Teeth

FEAR NAZIS WANT ARMED "SHOW-DOWN"

FINAL REJECTION OF CZECH OFFER BRINGS WAR NEAR

Britain Expected to Tell Berlin Of Readiness to Fight to Finish

WHOLE NATION UNITED IN CRISIS, LIBERAL LEADER DECLARES

LONDON, AUG. 31.

RESPONSIBLE QUARTERS BELIEVE THAT THE SUDETEN REJECTION OF THE CZECH CONCESSIONS HAS GERMANY'S FULL BACKING, INDICATING THAT HERR HITLER IS PREPARED TO FORCE AN IMMEDIATE SHOW-DOWN, BY ARMS IF NECESSARY.

GRAVE APPREHENSION IS FELT THAT UNLESS LORD RUNCIMAN PERSUADES THE NAZIS TO REVERSE THEIR DECISION AN EXPLOSION LEADING TO A GENERAL WAR IN EUROPE IS IMMINENT.

It is understood that in the event of the Sudeten rejection of the Czech proposals being final, Sir Nevile Henderson, the British Ambassador in Berlin, is fully prepared and authorised to warn Herr Hitler of Britain's readiness to fight to a finish.

The Cabinet's instructions to Sir Nevile are described to *United Press* as the "sharpest language Great Britain has employed to Germany since 1914."

The Ambassador returns to Berlin on Wednesday and will then await further instructions from London as to whether he should deliver the warning.

Informed circles state that the attitude of Cabinet Ministers regarding the European crisis is "absolutely firm" and Britain is determined to carry out her present line of policy and make even stronger representations to Herr Hitler if necessary.

The disclosure in the official *communique* issued at No. 10 Downing Street that Ministers "approved of the action already taken" is taken as confirmation that Britain has already made known to Germany in unmistakeable fashion the dangers attendant upon any violation of the territorial integrity of Czecho-Slovakia.

The additional comment that Ministers have approved of the course adopted for the future indicates that British pressure will not be slackened.

Usually informed sources indicate that Britain does not intend to reveal her future action.—*United Press.*

Delaying Return

London, Aug. 31.

It is now regarded as certain that the British Ambassador, Sir Neville Henderson, will not return to Berlin before the end of this week.

By that time, however, he will probably be in possession of instructions, the general outline of which was fixed at yesterday's vital meeting of the Cabinet.

It is believed that Sir Nevile's instructions will authorise him to approach the German Government and request collaboration in renewed efforts to be made to effect a settlement of the crisis.

It is believed that the Ambassador, in his communication to the German Government, will refer to the anti-Czech campaign in the German press and will emphasise that the situation, already difficult, is rendered more critical by such outbursts.—*Trans-Ocean.*

Returning To London

London, Aug. 31.

The French Ambassador, M. Charles Corbin, left Paris last night to return to London.

It is assumed that he will call on Lord Halifax immediately on arriving

(Continued on Page 4.)

BRITAIN MAY SOUND FOREIGN FEELINGS

Significance Seen In New Policy

London, Aug. 31.

It is learned confidentially that Great Britain is considering the possibilities of sounding out Warsaw and other capitals regarding their attitude in the event of war.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain is taking the United States fully into his confidence and it is understood that, in his conversations with Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, he informed the U.S. Ambassador of the foregoing.

Foreign Embassies attach the highest importance to this new development, which is regarded as a significant departure from Britain's usual policy of relying on diplomatic measures.

So far, indeed, Britain has concentrated on diplomacy in the present crisis and has relied entirely on approaches to France and Czecho-Slovakia on the one hand and to Germany on the other.

The intended British approach to Warsaw will, at least, show where Poland stands in the crisis. The Polish Government, while leaning strongly towards Germany, nevertheless values British friendship highly, and is unwilling to renounce what is at least a formal military alliance binding her to France.

Poland, however, supports concessions for the Polish minority in Czecho-Slovakia.

Rumania and Yugo-Slavia, if asked, will doubtless re-affirm to Britain their attitude as being formally committed to aid Czecho-Slovakia only if she is attacked by Hungary. In practice, however, King Carol has emphasised Rumania's strong attachment to Czecho-Slovakia, while Yugo-Slavia, to a lesser degree, has followed the same line. Neutral diplomats believe that the British consultations with these Powers will have the most important repercussions in Europe, and will deeply impress any Power inclined to gamble on war that the odds would be heavily unfavourable.—*United Press.*

HOPEFUL SOLUTION REMAINS POSSIBLE

Britain Works On This Assumption

London, Aug. 30.

The policy which was endorsed at to-day's meeting of the Ministers may be summed up, so far as the immediate problem in central Europe is concerned, as a concentration by the British Government of all its efforts in assisting in a peaceful solution of the Sudeten problem.

While an opportunity remains—as British Ministers hope and believe it does—of reaching a settlement by negotiation and conciliation, the British Government, which for its part will do nothing which might heighten the general tension, will continue to look to both sides in Czecho-Slovakia to avoid any aggravation of the dispute.

Lord Runciman, to the value of whose work reports of newspaper correspondents in Prague pay tri-

(Continued on Page 4.)

Bomb Damage Costs Colony Only $4,318

One locomotive and two wagons damaged by bombing while on the Canton section of the Kowloon-Canton railway, will cost $4,318 to repair, according to the supplementary vote down for approval at to-morrow's meeting of the Finance Committee.

Another $40,300 is asked for damages sustained to rolling stock in a collision at the 8½ miles post on July 14. A second class coach, a first class all-steel coach, and two engines were damaged.

EURASIA PLANES RESUMING SERVICE

Protected By Swastika Marks

The Eurasia Aviation Corporation air service from Hongkong to Hankow will probably be resumed to-morrow, said Herr Holtz, technical adviser of the air company, who reached Kai Tak to-day by the Air France plane from Hanoi.

At the same time three Eurasia Junkers machines are having German Swastikas and the Chinese national flags painted on them in the hangar at Kai Tak. Before this week the planes only carried the Eurasia company identification.

Mr. Holtz said an announcement would shortly be made by the Eurasia officials. He had travelled from the interior of China to Yunnanfu and through to French-Indo China.

Mr. W. L. Bond, organising manager of the China National Aviation Corporation, was aboard the same plane and was welcomed by Pilot H. L. Woods, who commanded the Kweilin, shot down by Japanese planes last week.

"I am sorry I can't tell you when we will be resuming services but I anticipate it will be in the near future," said Mr. Bond. He said two of the Company's Douglas machines were being re-conditioned at Kai Tak.

Sudetens to Reject Czech Proposals

PLEADING FOR THEIR LIVES, these terrified peasants have gone on their knees before a Japanese sentry. They have good reason for fear, knowing the sure fate of suspected guerillas. This photograph was sent from North China by an unofficial and neutral correspondent, together with one showing the beheading of a Chinese guerilla suspect by a Japanese swordsman.

BRITAIN GIVEN GREAT ADVANTAGE IN ANY CLASH WITH GERMANY

Washington, Aug. 30.

The tension between Great Britain and Germany has aroused the realisation among European diplomats in Washington that Great Britain would have the advantage over Germany in the hypothetical event of an Anglo-German war causing the invocation of the American Neutrality Act.

Enforcement of the Neutrality Act, which has as its basis the prohibition of exports of arms and munitions to warring nations, would normally be automatic, although President Roosevelt could technically evade evocation through declining to classify hostilities as "war."

In either event, Britain would be in a favoured position through her mastery of the seas and potential sources of supply in the Dominions. As an example, she could obtain almost unlimited supplies of munitions and arms from Canada which, as a contiguous territory to the United States, may be exempted from certain embargo provisions.

Moreover, if popular opinion in the United States was aligned on the side of Great Britain, as many impartial observers anticipate, the President could utilise the provisions of the Neutrality Act in a way that would be directly beneficial to Britain without involving the "cash-and-carry" provisions under which materials not classified as munitions could be placed under an embargo except when transported overseas by foreign vessels.

As a matter of fact, some provisions of the Neutrality Act are so favourable to Great Britain that the Act has been characterised in some circles as an "Anglo-American Alliance."—*United Press.*

Black Hole Of Calcutta In American Gaol

Warders Held On Homicide Charges

Philadelphia, Aug. 30.

Two warders have been charged with homicide in connection with the deaths of four prisoners who were on a hunger strike in the gaol here.

The accused have been ordered to be held for trial without bail.

The prisoners were found naked in their cells in conditions which are compared by the Assistant District Attorney with the Black Hole of Calcutta.

Their bodies were black and blue. The Coroner found that their deaths were due to scalding and that there were also signs of suffocation.—*Reuter.*

BRITAIN'S COLOSSAL DEFICIT

Expenditure Soars Above Revenue

London, Aug. 30.

Although Britain's revenue for the first eight months of the year is practically the same as that for the same period last year—£254,726,609, compared with £254,714,535—expenditure is £49,464,520 higher.

As a result, the deficit for the first eight months has reached the staggering total of £127,529,193.

Expenditure, less self-balancing items, totalled £382,255,702, compared with £332,791,182 for the corresponding period in 1937.

The total floating debt outstanding is £894,720,000, which represents a net increase of £62,065,000 since the beginning of the financial year.—*British Wireless.*

C.N.A.C. Mail Salvaged

Chungshan, Aug. 31.

After great efforts, all mail carried by the ill-fated C.N.A.C. liner, Kweilin, has been salvaged.

The wreck of the plane, which had been raised above water, has sunk in the stream again owing to its great weight.

The bodies of Mr. Li Chia-sung and Mr. Chen Chien-fei are still missing. While the remains of Mr. Singloh Hsu, Mr. Y. Hu and others will be shipped to their native towns for burial, those of Dr. Lu Yi and Mrs. Li Chia-sung will be buried here, it is learned.—*Central News.*

MINORITY DEMANDS COMPLETE FREEDOM

France Favours Joint Show Of Strength

Prague, Aug. 30.

It is learned that the Sudetens have decided to reject the new proposals by the Czech Government.

According to sources here, the Sudetens have decided to push for self-government on lines similar to the quasi-independence enjoyed by the former Irish free state (Eire).—*United Press.*

Lining Up Democracies

Paris, Aug. 30.

After a four hour meeting to-day, the French Cabinet decided to make an effort to line up the democracies of the world in a determined front to warn Germany of the consequences of an invasion of Czecho-Slovakia.

A cautious *communique* unanimously approves of M. Bonnet's "precise definition of French foreign policy and his instructions to French Ambassadors."

These instructions, it is learned from reliable sources, involve, firstly, the informing of all friendly Governments, especially Poland, Rumania, and Yugo-Slavia, whose attitude is wavering, that France intends to comply with her obligations to

(Continued on Page 4.)

STOP PRESS

SOVIET ADMITS NAVAL PURGE

London, Aug. 31.

The *Times* Riga correspondent states that for the first time the Soviet Naval Ministry has admitted that the chief Russian admirals and naval experts were shot a few months ago. He adds that official announcements state that Admiral Orloff, commander-in-chief of the Red Navy, who represented the U.S.S.R. at the Coronation of King George VI, Admiral Sivkoff, commander of the Baltic Fleet, Admiral Ludry, head of the Naval Academy, and others who disappeared with the stigma of traitors and enemies of the people, almost certainly shared the same fate.

The "missing" include Admiral Orloff's successor, Admiral Victoriff, Admiral Kireyeff, commander of the Pacific fleet, Admiral Kadatsky, commander of the Far Eastern Amur flotilla.

"After this massacre the Red Navy has not to-day a single officer who occupied a high post last year," the correspondent states.

The Naval Ministry says the admirals and experts treacherously insisted on building a defensive navy consisting of submarines and small units, whereas the U.S.S.R. obviously required a strong navy capable of an offensive, with battleships and cruisers.

These are now being built, it is added.—*Reuter.*

(Further Stop Press News on Page 12.)

Something simple for Summer

SUCCESSFUL summer caterers arrange for simple dishes which save the goodness and flavour of garden foods.

Here is a week's daily dinner menu, in case your pencil starts wavering on this menu business. Featuring the foods we have at the moment, there is no strict relationship day to day, though you'll find an underlying streak of economy.

Sunday brings a roast, but with lamb we look for mint and jelly in a change from time-honoured sauce. Perhaps you made some last year when apples were plentiful? Anyway, it is simple enough.

If you've not tried green peas a la Francaise, there are lots of reasons why you should. Just spear an onion with two cloves, tie a morsel of muslin to enclose parsley, thyme, and half a bay leaf, and have a pound or more of ready shelled peas. Melt one ounce of butter in a pan, saute and partly cook the onion, then add the peas and toss in butter for a moment. Add the herb bouquet, and pour in about a gill of stock, simmering gently with the lid on till the peas are tender. Remove the onion and herbs, sprinkle half teaspoon of sugar, and you will find a mere dressing of stock remains, but the peas will glisten with butter. Hurry them to pare the potatoes while they are good and hot.

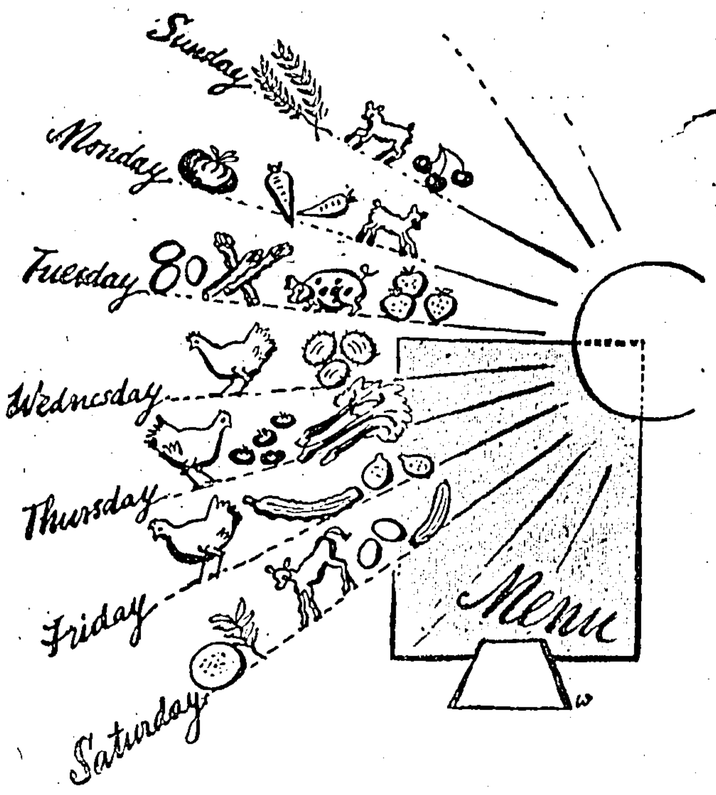
On potatoes—remember that new ones take a tossing in paprika if you tire of chopped parsley for them.

MONDAY'S meal grows from Sunday's left-over if you remember to set some slices on a decorative dish overnight or next morning. If aspic sounds remote to you, there's always the packet variety or perhaps some gelatine stiffening for rich-flavoured stock.

Summer salads need no elaboration, but a few glazed carrots pep things up a bit, especially if you remember a dash of ginger with them. Here is the way they go.

Cook some split and quartered medium-sized carrots in boiling salted water. When tender, drain and dress in equal parts melted butter and demerara sugar with a generous shake of ground ginger. Heat through at simmering rate till they take a glossy tan, then speed them on their way.

Coffee or maple meringue rescues week-end cake misfits in the kindliest way. Strong coffee or weak maple syrup, thickened with cornflour and enriched with egg yolk, enshrouds the sliced and layered cake. Arranged in a china souffle dish, with spreadings of chopped nuts and honey or apricot marmalade, it forms a succulent base for the meringued top, which is then baked a delicate crisp brown at quite the lowest pace. (Bottom shelf of Regulo 5 if you have other things "adoing" in the oven.)



WHEN the time arrives for a meatless meal, so try creamed eggs and asparagus. Bacon rolls or ham enter for another occasion. Simply hard boil two eggs for each person and quarter them, adding a well-flavoured bechamel or white sauce. Diced cooked ham or bacon and prepared or canned asparagus are the other items.

Individual portions served on toast or square cracker biscuits make a good impression, but the whole could be turned into a fireproof dish, circled with toast sippets or tiny bacon rolls and asparagus tips.

Strawberries or raspberries need the simplest serving of all. Next time you bake at home turn some cake mixture into dariole tins for a batch of cup cakes. These scoop out to make pannier baskets for the berries. Small strawberries sliced, seasoned with lemon juice and stirred lightly into sweetened and whipped cream, pile into these cases and make most delectable eating. For dress occasions you could make angelica leaves and handles, and set the dessert of little ice plates with green leaf doileys.

WEDNESDAY'S choice is a fowl or chicken, with gooseberry shape as outlet for the "surplus bread" problem. It is a variation of the well-worn summer pudding, so choose a deep melon or blancmange mould and line it with moderately thick slices of crustless bread. Layers of hot syrup-stewed gooseberries are sandwiched and topped with the bread, then weighted down and left overnight. It then turns out for decoration with lines of forced whipped cream or custard coating.

In case you have not tried a cornflour mock cream, here is the formula. One gill of milk thickened with a dessertspoon of cornflour, and allowed to cool while a dessertspoon of caster sugar is creamed with an ounce of butter till white and loose. The cooled cornflour sauce is then added, spoon at a time, and whisked till creamy and smooth. A pinch of salt with vanilla flavouring is an improvement, and if it is used at once the substitute forces through a cream pipe most convincingly.

SALMON and cucumber is traditional, but jellied cucumber is a pleasant change. You either set it in a ring mould, or make little castles and stuff the centres. Creamed shrimp is fine for a change.

For two good sized grated cucumbers take half a gill of water with 2 added tablespoons of vinegar, and a teaspoon of onion juice, with salt, pepper and a trace of green colouring. A ½oz. of gelatine is sufficient to set these ingredients.

If you have a soft spot for Lemon Chiffon Pie you'll fall for it more than ever in a cornflake pastry case. Take an 8in. square cake tin, or a large pie plate, and melt 2oz. butter in it. Mix 6 gills of crushed and sieved cornflakes mixed with 2oz. caster sugar and half a teaspoon of cinnamon, then stir them into the butter, pressing till evenly absorbed. Reserve sufficient for dressing the top of the pie, then coat the sides and bottom of the tin and proceed as usual. It is best to set and chill the pie some three hours before you plan to serve it.

Ann Marvel

How To Cater For The Week During The Hot Days

Here are some suggestions for each day of the week

Sunday

[illegible]n of corn soup. Shoulder of lamb, mint jelly, new Creamboes. Green peas—the French way. Cherry tartlets, Potat[illegible] glazed with conserve.

Monday

Tomato and rice soup, or tomato bouillon. Sliced lamb in aspic. Summer salad: glazed and gingered carrots. Coffee apricot meringue (using leftover sponge or cake).

Tuesday

Spinach puree. Creamed eggs and asparagus, with grilled bacon rolls. Strawberry panniers (filled cake "baskets").

Wednesday

Summer soup. Fowl or chicken fricassee. Gooseberry shape, with mock cream decoration.

Thursday

Chicken jelly squares. Rice, ham and whole tomato salad (the baby English ones). New potatoes. Hot rhubarb platetart (made with flaky pastry, and ginger flavouring). Cheese and biscuits.

Friday

Chicken broth with mushrooms. Cold salmon. Cucumber jelly (moulded ring or individual jellies stuffed with mayonnaised salad). Potatoes. Lemon chiffon pie, with cornflake pastry.

Saturday

Orange and mint appetiser. Veal cutlets, spaghetti milanese, new potatoes. Souffle omelette, banana filling. Cheese straws. Coffee.

VALUES VALUES
FOR THE LAST FEW DAYS
GREAT SALE
DAY DRESSES FROM $8.00
EVENING DRESSES FROM $10.00
HATS FROM $5.00
FLOWERS FROM $1.00
EVERYTHING AT BARGAIN PRICES
RIVELLE
Gloucester Arcade.

Summer Clothes
Need
Proper Attention!

The light colours and summer fabrics should be handled as to prevent damage, fading and shrinking. Our efficient ZORIC odourless system cleanses the fabrics of Body Odour, General Soiling and makes them their original air-conditioned selves again.

ZORIC cleaned clothes keep you cool

THE STEAM LAUNDRY Co.

Head Office Tel. 57032
Kowloon Depot Tel. 58545
Hongkong Depot Tel. 21279
Peak Depot Tel. 29352

For BOYS and GIRLS

Lighting-up time for glow-worms—a warning to snails.

DANGER LIGHT *for SNAILS*

NOT everyone finds the glow-worm's soft, greenish-gold "lamp" either pleasing or beautiful. For snails it ought to shine a warning red. Because the glow-worm is greatly partial to a snail feast.

She creeps, ghostlike, upon Snaily, sitting pretty inside his brittle shell. She doesn't knock at his door, but, with most unladylike ferocity, gnaws through his slimy entrance, and finally eats him out of hearth and home—out of existence!

Midsummer is the glow-worm's "lighting-up" time. Here and there, about moors, chalky downs, country lanes and dells, you may discover either one or a dozen together, mounted upon grassy blades, and beaming upon the stars.

Beetle Family

Luckily for their owner, this remarkable "lamp" gives out no warmth, but is cold as stone. For if it emitted heat in proportion to its shining power, like, say, a candle flame, the glow-worm would be scorched to death.

Among our native glow-worms, the female always has the finest "lamp." A queer creature. She has neither wings nor wing covers, and, with her tapering, fatty body divided into nine or ten segments, looks more like a caterpillar than a beetle, her true genus.

However, the male insect, whose power of radiation is feeble indeed, wears dark wing shields, goes foraging by air, and is a beetle of most gentle manners, judging by his lack of stag-like jaws and other visible beetle "armaments."

When her tail cells are properly aglow, one "worm" gives sufficient light, when placed eight inches away, for you to read your watch on a pitch dark night. Thomas Hardy, the great Wessex novelist, describes a scene whereby two men threw their dice in darkness upon an open heath. They caught and put glow-worms upon a stone to serve as their lanterns.

Glow-worm eggs, too, are slightly luminous. Perhaps their glow, hinting at the mysterious, acts as a keep-off sign to inquisitive birds. And, a shade more prominently, the glow-worm's larvae or grubs give off the same uncanny radiance.

These creeping "lamps" also spell ruin to snails. While, for devouring slugs, another popular item on their menu, baby glow-worms are gifted with bristly back feet (these resemble a set of brushes in miniature) so that, without any bother, they can clamber up a slug's slippery back and settle down to the business of eating.

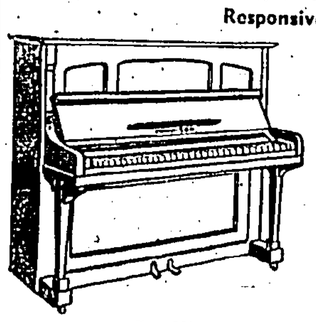
All A-Glowing

Thanks to these habits, we may put glow-worms in our gardens and treat them as pets. For as allies in the unending warfare against slugs and snails, they pay their rent not in cash but in enemies slain several times weekly. That's the sort of tenant gardeners like.

Then their soft beauty, so lovely, serene and mysterious, must surely rouse fairies from their beds and bring troupes of elfin dancers on to the lawn to revel by glow-worm light and to grasshopper music!

Quicker!
and a shine as bright as lightning
BRASSO
METAL POLISH

DESERVED POPULARITY
due to Perfect Tone, Excellent Design, Responsive Touch, & Perfect Finish.



THE MORRISON PIANO
possesses in a marked degree every playing quality that makes for the greatest progress in practise and the ideal choice for the music teacher.
EXCHANGE YOUR PRESENT PIANO FOR A MORRISON.
For Hire & Sale (Deferred Payments)
TSANG FOOK PIANO COMPANY
Marina House, 19, Queen's Road C.
Tel. 24648.

Do you day-dream?

HOPE may "spring eternal in the human breast," but its encouragement to remain there should be decided by its nature.

There is the quite legitimate hope that some particular undertaking or enterprise may prove successful; this to be coupled by an effort to bring such hope to fulfilment. On the other hand, there is the hope which comes from the land of never-never and results in the practice of day-dreaming—a habit which grows apace and saps slowly and insidiously the vital energy of the dreamer.

These hope-dreams vary in accordance with the particular temperament which encourages them. With one they may take the form of vast possessions, and here the life lived in fancy's realm will be of regal pretensions. With another social success colours the brain horizon, while yet a third will be invested with some marvellous talent that will ensure a world-wide popularity and excite the envy of all and sundry folk around.

ALL very silly this never-never land of the impossible, but at the same time all very fascinating to those people who inhabit its realm.

It often happens that those who indulge in day-dreaming have been disappointed and disillusioned in the life they actually lead and resort to creating a world of their own in compensation for the loss of that state of life in which they would wish to find themselves. In short, they are the discontented members of the community, yet make no effort to help themselves or better their conditions of life and so in some measure achieve the hopes they foster so futilely.

Day-dreaming often fills the mind to the exclusion of other and more profitable considerations. Opportunities that come are overlooked and lost.

Is it any wonder that success in any direction passes these day-dreamers by? Yet from their own point of view blame is never attaching to themselves—they are born unlucky—fate is against them, and, commonest plea of all—nobody ever helps them. What help can be given when a mind is prone to fantastic orgies of its own is difficult to imagine.

Perhaps most serious of all, is the fact that unchecked day-dreaming leads to mental deterioration. The brain becomes so focused on the impossible that it loses its capacity to judge the true value of mundane things rationally. All is distorted and subservient to the never-never land, and the dreamer becomes unreliable both in social and business life and in domestic relations.

FOR those who indulge in this dangerous form of recreation the best advice is to give it up—come back to earth and leave the realms of fancy to poets, painters and those who make word pictures for profit and livelihood. It may be difficult to stage a world of realism, after a long sojourn of hope in the never-never, but it is more than worth while.

In the case of children, who revel in the land of make-believe, wise direction is necessary to ensure that the habit does not assume undue proportions by and by. Faith in fairies is a childhood's idyll, but the child who wants to pretend it is something else all the time is stepping out on to a road that leads nowhere.

Playing at grown-ups is harmless, since one day they will be grown-up, and this game affords opportunities to point a moral and adorn a tale without in any way impairing its attractions or diverting its charm. But pretending to be grand people, and possessing such things as only exceeding money can supply, should never be encouraged. Small folks' brains are quick and receptive and the cult of the impossible a very real lure to hope in the never-never.

For young and older folk alike hope is a spur that must never be overlooked, but it must be hope, centred in the possible and probable, whatever form it may take. The desire to win through and achieve an ultimate end makes the requisite striving worth while, and stimulates the brain to greater effort, even if all is not plain sailing by the way.

COUNT THE "TELEGRAPHS" EVERYWHERE

SHELLY
POETRY
IN
CHINA.

A BEAUTIFUL RANGE
OF TEA SETS AND COFFEE SETS
IN THE LATEST DESIGNS
ON DISPLAY AT
SINCERE'S
SECOND FLOOR

Expert PLUMBING
COSTS LESS IN THE LONG RUN THAN MEDIOCRE WORK
WHETHER FOR REPAIRS, INSTALLATIONS OR THE MODERNISATION OF THE EXISTING SYSTEM, CONSULT
C. E. WARREN & Co., Ltd.
St. George's Building. Tel. 20269.

FRENCH MOVE TROOPS TO FRONTIER

Paris, Aug. 31.

France moved more than 20,000 troops to the Swiss frontier for "war games" at dawn to-day.

This is regarded as being of particular significance in view of expert predictions that in the event of war Germany would cross Switzerland to invade France.—*United Press.*

HEADLESS BODY FOUND IN SEINE

Paris, Aug. 30.

A headless body found floating in the Seine has been tentatively identified as Rudolf Klement, former secretary to M. Leon Trotsky.

He disappeared six weeks ago.—*United Press.*

VIOLENT YANGTSE FIGHTING

Repeated Japanese Attacks Repulsed

Nanchang, Aug. 31.

Fighting is raging on all fronts on the south bank of the Yangtse River with increasing violence.

In the Juichang sector Moshan (Grindstone Hill), Hungshan and Maanchuan (Suddle Spring), strategic points on the highway leading from Juichang to Matou and Yangsin, remain the scene of bitter contention. Japanese attacking these points have again and again been hurled back with heavy losses.

It is said that on one occasion the Japanese succeeded in occupying two-thirds of Moshan in a fierce onslaught under smoke screens and with the aid of tear gas. When the situation was tense, Chinese reinforcements rushed up, outflanked them and recaptured the hill.

An attempt by a Japanese column to push from Juichang southeastward to cut the Nanchang-Kiukiang Railway at Hwanglnomen, a station south of Shaho, was thwarted by the vigilant Chinese troops yesterday. Two Chinese columns intercepted the Japanese at Chowchiachai, 10 kilometres north-west of Hwanglaomen. In the ensuing engagement the Japanese were routed, leaving many dead and wounded on the battlefield.

In the Shaho sector on the Nanchang-Kiukiang Railway, Chinese and Japanese artillery units had a fierce duel throughout yesterday. Japanese infantry and cavalry units which tried to rush the Chinese positions were repulsed.

A Japanese attack on Tunganling, west of Singtze on the west shore of Poyang Lake was also repelled.—*Central News.*

FREQUENT ASSAULTS

Hankow, Aug. 31.

Chinese despatches state that the Japanese attacked the Chinese positions on the Juichang front no less than thirteen times on Saturday, repeating the onslaughts on Sunday and Monday.

Fighting is said to have been of such a severe nature that, according to a Chinese *communique*, one Japanese detachment was completely wiped out, while the Chinese also suffered heavy casualties.

The Chinese positions are stated, however, to be still intact.

The Japanese yesterday succeeded in penetrating the Chinese defences south-west of Juichang, but in a counter-attack the Chinese recovered all the lost ground.

At Shaho south-west of Kuikang, after an artillery duel yesterday afternoon, the Japanese are reported to have attacked the Chinese positions but are said to have been repulsed.

The Chinese *communique* also claims that a Japanese attack on the Chinese positions in the hills south of Singtze, on the west shore of Lake Poyang, was also driven back.—*Reuter.*

RAIL ROUTE TO RUSSIA THREATENED

Peiping, Aug. 31.

The Japanese spokesman claims the complete occupation of Fenglingtu, overlooking the Lunghai Railway section between Sian and Chengchow.

From Fenglingtu Japanese artillery now commands the railway, seriously jeopardising China's "life-line" between Hankow and Soviet Russia. It is expected that the Japanese will not attempt to cross the Yellow River and either march on Hankow or attack Sian.—*Reuter.*

Banded Krait Killed On Harlech Road

A large banded krait was killed on the Harlech Road in the Peak district last night by Mr. R. S. W. Paterson. The snake, which measured fifty-four inches, was first noticed coiled up on the road by the ricksha puller. A large rock was used as the means to effect the *coup-de-grace.*

These snakes, which are most venomous, are rarely encountered on the Peak. In India, where they are common, there is a native legend which states that when one of them has killed a man, the tip of the tail becomes black.

They are distinguishable by the alternating bands of orange and black. The tip of the tail of the specimen killed by Mr. Paterson last night *was black!*

EXCHANGE RATES

	Aug. 29.	Aug. 30.
Geneva	21.31	21.32
Berlin	12.15½	12.13½
Paris	178.21/64	178 [illegible]
Brussels	28.76¾	28.76¾
Athens	547½	547½
Milan	92 [illegible]	92 [illegible]
Oslo	19.90	19.90
Amsterdam	8.94	8.92¾
Copenhagen	22.40	22.40
Stockholm	19.40½	19.40½
Prague	141	140¾
Helsingfors	226¾	226¾
New York	4.87 [illegible]	4.87 [illegible]
Montreal	4.87 [illegible]	4.86¾
Vienna	Nom.	Nom.
Lisbon	110 [illegible]	110 [illegible]
Madrid	Nom.	Nom.
Hongkong	1s. 3d.	1s. 3d.
Shanghai	8½d.	8½d.
Bombay	1/5.53/64	1/5.27/32
Yokohama	1/2	1/2
Belgrade	216	214
Bucharest	670	670
Montevideo	20¼	20¼
Buenos Aires	19	18.95½
Rio de Janeiro	2⅞	2⅞
Silver (Spot)	19 [illegible]	19⅜
Silver (forward)	19	19⅛
War Loan	102⅛	102 [illegible]

—*British Wireless.*

HONGKONG MAY SCOUT WEATHER TEN MILES HIGH, FROM BALLOON

TO INCREASE the accuracy of weather forecasting in Malaya and to make the skies safer for fliers, the Malayan Meteorological Service is experimenting with the world's most modern system of obtaining readings of pressure, temperature and humidity from heights as great as ten miles and more.

It is likely that Singapore will be the first city in the East to adopt the system, although it probably will be taken up shortly afterwards by the observatories at Batavia, Hongkong and Manila.

However, when interviewed, the Director of the Royal Observatory, Mr. C. W. Jeffries, said that he was not in a position to state when Hongkong would adopt the system.

A SMALL automatic radio transmitter is sent up by balloon in the new system. As it rises, at the rate of 100 or 300 feet a minute, the transmitter sends out a continuous record of temperature, atmospheric pressure and humidity, says the Singapore *Sunday Times.*

The balloon should reach the stratosphere in about two hours, the time depending on the height of the stratosphere, which varies continuously.

A new radio set and balloon have to be used every day, as neither can be recovered after disappearing into the stratosphere.

FIRST BALLOON THIS MONTH

It is hoped the first balloon will be released in Singapore before the end of next month. Daily releases will not follow until some time later. A daily release is estimated at present to cost £2,500 a year, but research and development proceeding in all parts of the world are likely to appreciably reduce this figure.

Singapore weather forecasters at present obtain data from ground level up to 12,000 feet every morning from a Royal Air Force pilot who takes up a Vickers Vildebeeste torpedo bomber from No. 100 Squadron.

But modern forecasters want to go higher than aeroplanes can take them.

FORMER DEVICE

Many observatories in different parts of the world, including Batavia, for a long time have used a device attached to a balloon basket which records on paper particulars of upper atmosphere pressure, temperature and humidity.

The balloon, which has been known to obtain readings from as much as 29 miles above the earth, comes down eventually and is sometimes returned to the observatory within two days, but often not for weeks. This time factor naturally limits the research value of the data secured and makes it useless for a daily weather service.

Such a system, apart from its obvious limitations, would be impracticable in Malaya because the prevailing easterly wind experienced in both this country and Java would carry the balloons over the sea here, while in Java there is a fair chance of their descending on land. Another point is that Java is thickly populated and Malaya is not.

And meteorologists are realising more and more the importance of having upper air data immediately.

DEVELOPED IN FINLAND

Several devices have been produced for automatically broadcasting from great heights the readings of instruments in a balloon. Singapore meteorologists are experimenting with an outfit developed in Finland.

It consists essentially of a wave-measuring receiver on the ground and in the balloon a midget transmitter the wavelength of which varies according to changes in atmospheric pressure, temperature and humidity.

To make possible continuous series broadcasts, in order, of the three readings, a constantly rotating device is essential. As clockwork is inoperative in stratosphere temperatures, which are as low as—100 Centigrade, an adaptation of the ordinary windvane has been devised.

Another problem created by the low temperatures is the question of keeping warm the radio batteries so that they will continue to deliver current. Glass wool may be used for packing them.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks

H.K. Bank, $1,440 b. and sa.
H.K. Bank (Lon. Reg.), £87 n.
Chartered Bank, £12¾ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B. £28 n.
Mercantile Bank, C., £13½ n.
East Asia Bank, $88 n.

Insurances

Canton Ins., $225. b. and sa.
Union Ins., $507½ b.
China Underwriters, $2 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., $210 sa.

Shipping

Douglas, $80 n.
H.K. Steamboats, $22½ n.
Indo-Chinas (Pref.), $60 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), $24 n.
Shell Bearer, 88/1½ n.
Union Waterboats, $9.10 b.

Docks Etc.

H.K. & K. Wharves, $130 n.
H.K. Docks (old), $20.75 n.
H.K. Docks (new), $10.70 n.
Providents (old), $7.60 n.
Providents (new), $7.45 n.
New Engineering Sh. $3.90 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. $131 n.
Kailan Mining Adm., 16/- n.
Raubs, $10.10 n.
Venz: Goldfield, $3 n.
Hongkonb Mines, 7½ cts. n.

Phillippine Mining

Antamok, P. .37½ sa.
Atoks, P. .34½ sa.
Baguio Gold, P. .24½ sa.
Benguet Consol, P. .11.40 sa.
Benguet Explor.,—
Coco Grove, P. .43 sa.
Big Wedge, P. —
Consolidated Mines, P. —
Demonstrations, P. 30½ sa.
E. Mindanao, P. —
Gumaus G'fields, P. —
Ipo Gold, P. —
I.X.L. P. .64 sa.
Itogons, P. —
Min. Resources, P. —
Northern Min., P. —
Paracale Gumaus, P. .16½ sa.
Salacot Mining, P. —
San Mauricio, P. .61 sa.
Suyoc Consol., P. .17½ sa.
United Paracales, P. .34 sa.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, $6.95 b.
H.K. Lands, $39 n.
H.K. Lands, 4% Deben $107½ n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. —
H.K. Lands, $39 n.
Humphries, $9.75 n.
H.K. Realties, $5.90 n.
Chinese Estates, $100 n.

Public Utilities

H.K. Tramways, $17.20 b. and sa.
Peak Trams (old), $6¾ b.
Peak Trams (new), $3½ n.
Star Ferries, $78 n.
Yaumati Ferries (old), $24¾ n.
Yaumati Ferries rights, $24 n.
China Light (old), $11.85 n.
China Light (new), $8¾ n.
H.K. Electric, $61¾ n.
Macao Electric, $17½ n.
Sandakan Lights, $0.30 b.
Telephone (old), $26¾ n.
Telephone (new), $9.55 n.
China Buses, Sh. —
Singapore Tractions, s/- 26/3 n.
Singapore Pref, s/- 26/3 n.

Industrial

Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. $14 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. $13 n.
Canton Ices, $1.70 n.
Cements, $17.90 n.
H.K. Ropes, $4.90 n.

Stores, &c.

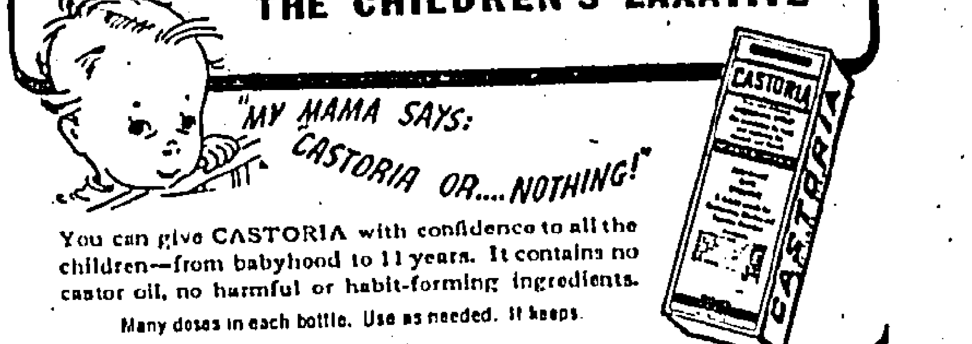
Dairy Farms, $26¾ n.
Watsons, $8.15 n.
Lane Crawfords, $6.70 n.
Sinceres, $2.20 n.
Wing On (H.K.), $50 n.
William Powell, Ltd., 70 cts. n.

Cotton Mills

Ewo Cotton, Sh. 120.10 n.
S'hai Cotton (old), Sh. $97 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. $24 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. $42 n.

Miscellaneous

H.K. Entertainments, $6½ n.
Constructions, $1.90 n.
Vibro Piling, $6.85 n.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G$ Bonds., 70% prm. n.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6% prm. b.
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan 1½% prm. b.
Wallace Harpers, —
Marsmans (Lon.), s/- 12/6 n.
Marsmans Ins. (H.K.), s/- 3/4 n.
Anglo Javas, —
Consolidated China Providents (old), —


I WON'T! I WON'T!

Fits of temper—tantrums—breaking up the party may not be serious to grown-ups but it's tragedy to childhood. There's something wrong with this "bridegroom". What he probably needs is CASTORIA, the children's laxative. Nervousness and fits of temper are not natural in children. At the first sign of irritation, temper, give them CASTORIA, the laxative made especially for children. It's pleasant, gentle, mild and thorough.

Don't let real tragedy grip your children. Insure their happiness with CASTORIA, the laxative which blends perfectly with their delicate, sensitive systems. Get a bottle today. Keep it in your home.

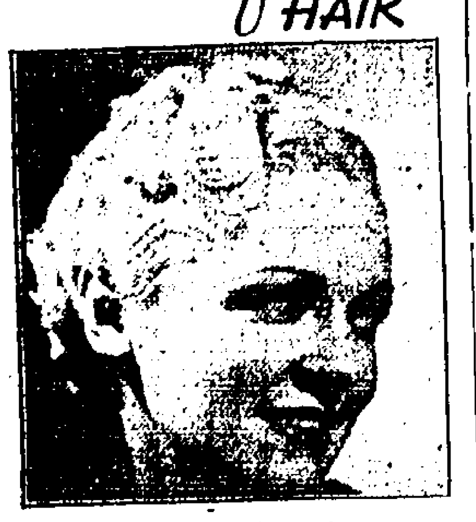
CASTORIA
THE CHILDREN'S LAXATIVE

"MY MAMA SAYS: CASTORIA OR....NOTHING!"

You can give CASTORIA with confidence to all the children—from babyhood to 11 years. It contains no castor oil, no harmful or habit-forming ingredients.

Many doses in each bottle. Use as needed. It keeps.

SUCH beautiful HAIR



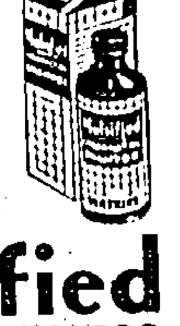
Hair styles of today make careful washing a necessity.

Ordinary soaps should be avoided. The free alkali they contain soon dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle and ruins it under the frequent shampooings necessary to keep the hair beautiful.

Discriminating women everywhere use Mulsified because its pure, natural and greaseless oils keep the scalp well nourished. Mulsified leaves the hair soft and easy to manage — preserves the natural wave and colour — makes it sparkle with new life, gloss and lustre.

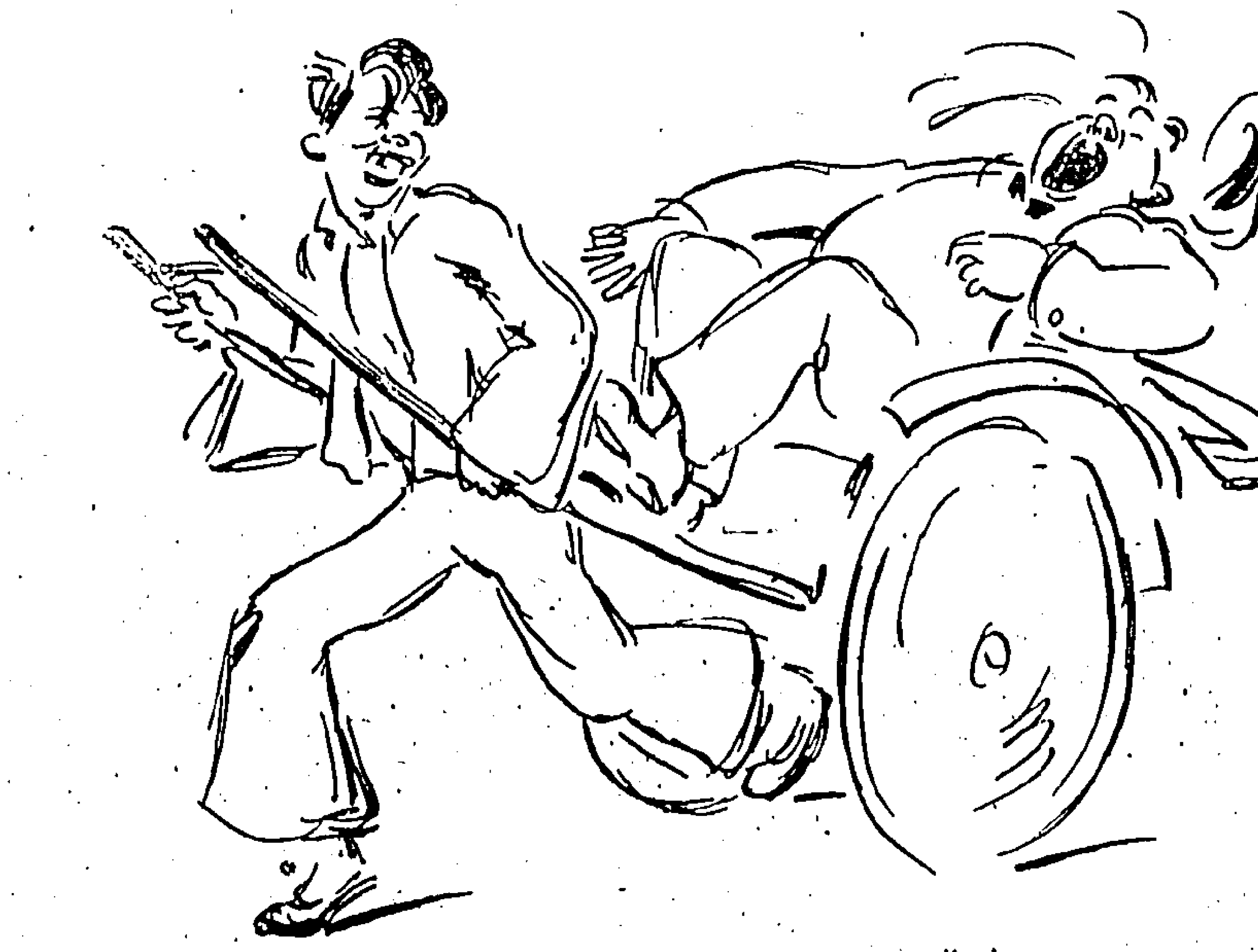
Two or three teaspoonfuls gives an abundance of rich, creamy lather — cleanses thoroughly — completely removes dirt, dust and dandruff.

Don't envy the woman with beautiful hair. Make your hair the envy of others by shampooing with. . .



Mulsified
COCOANUT OIL SHAMPOO

The Same In Every Land



Even the coolie who pulls you all day
Knows, when you sneeze, just what to say:
"Master wantchee 'ASPIRIN'
BAYER'S goodie 'ASPIRIN',
Bimeby cold, he very quick go 'way."

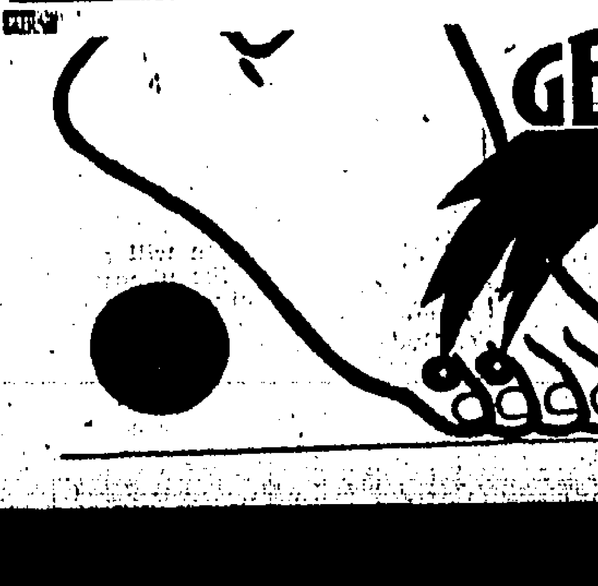
Fifty Years of 1888 BAYER 1938 REMEDIES

'ASPIRIN'
Bayer means Best

THE BEST EGYPTIAN CIGARETTE
Special Offer from Fresh Stock
JUST ARRIVED
SIMON ARZT
No. 70P
$1.60 only for a tin of 50

Much cheaper than in Egypt!
Cigar Stores
"La Perla del Oriente"

Obtainable from any leading store:
China Agents:
CARLOWITZ & CO.
Tel. No. 31225.


GETS-IT
THE LIQUID CORN CURE
Just a few drops of Gets-It will kill the pain and your corn troubles will be ended!

THE HONGKONG
PENINSULA HOTEL;
HONGKONG HOTEL; REPULSE BAY HOTEL;
&
SHANGHAI
ASTOR HOUSE; PALACE HOTEL;
HOTELS
LIMITED.
In association with the Grand Hotel des Wagons Lits, Peking

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

25 words $2.00

for 3 days prepaid

SITUATIONS VACANT.

COOK-HOUSEBOY. house coolie and kitchen coolie wanted. Must be able to give names of local residents as references. Please send recommendations or applications to Box No. 482, "Hongkong Telegraph."

GODOWN TO LET.

GODOWN TO LET.—A new three storeyed spacious godown, 20 by 84 feet, at No. 103, Connaught Road, West. Apply to 58A, Bonham Strand West.

MOTOR CARS.

OPPORTUNITY. Ford V8 De Luxe Roadster, 2-seater, 1934, mileage 14,000, inside and outside condition new. Tyres and engine like new. Consumption 19 miles per gallon. Best offer. Apply Box No. 481, "Hongkong Telegraph."

Russians And Americans Face Passport Charges

Three aliens were fined $10 each by Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning for entering the Colony without valid passport.

The defendants were Tvasnkevich Alexander, 33, and Jvasnkevich Valentina, 30, married woman, both Russians, and Robert Boyston, 36, American.

Thieves Enter Monastery—But For Loot

Money and jewellery to the value of $25 was reported to have been stolen from the Wan Ching Tong monastery at Shataukok about 12.30 a.m. on Monday, according to a report made to the police by Li Fung-yan, a woman.

She alleged that two men broke into the monastery by smashing a hole in the roof.

BROUGHT JUNK TOO CLOSE TO SHORE

Arrested at 4 a.m. to-day, a 52-year-old woman, Cheng Choi, was taken before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy on charges of having approached within 100 yards of low water mark at Stonecutter's Island without permission and with anchoring a fishing junk without a light. She was fined $10 or 20 days' hard labour on the first count and $50 or 10 days' hard labour on the second.

MANILA SHARES

The following quotations were received after the close of the morning session through Reuters:

	Business Done Prices in Pesos Aug. 30.	Aug. 31.
Antamok	.37½	.37½
Atok	.34½	Unq.
Baguio Gold	.24½	.24½
Benguet Cons.	11.40	11.40
Coco Grove	.43	.43
Consolidated Mines	Unq.	Unq.
Demonstration	.30½	Unq.
I.X.L.	.64	.66
Paracale Gumaus	Unq.	Unq.
San Mauricio	.61	.62
Suyoc	.17½	.18
United Paracale	.34	.34½

The following is Swan, Culbertson & Fritz' report on this morning's market.

Prices were up ½c to 2c in a quiet but steady market.

SPECIMEN CHEQUES STOLEN

The theft of a photo frame containing specimens of travellers cheques from the office of Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son, Ltd., between August 29 and 30, has been reported to the police by Mr. N. J. Perrin, the Manager. The cheques are not negotiable.

SHIPS IN RADIO COMMUNICATION

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong Radio Station to-day:

Pluto; Nils Moller; Simmie; Ping Wo; Wingsang; Taksang; Empress of Russia; Haiyang; Corfu; Haitan; Hupeh; Gnelsenau; Yuensang; Empress of Japan; Haiyang.

DUCHESS LEAVES FOR SWATOW

H.M.S. Duchess has left Hongkong on a routine visit to Swatow.

Family Keeps Job Tradition

Toledo.

Tending a glass furnace is traditional in the Falls family. George Falls, who has been working 24 years in a glass factory, learned the cooking art from his father. He also has two brothers in the glass industry.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

G. R.

NOTICE.

WATER SUPPLY.

It is hereby notified that commencing on **Thursday, 1st September**, the hours of supply to all districts on the Island and in Kowloon and New Kowloon will be

6—11 A.M., and 4—9 P.M.

R. M. HENDERSON,
Water Authority.
Public Works Department,
Hongkong, 29th August, 1938.

G. R.

NOTICE

The Public are hereby warned that there are a considerable number of counterfeit coins of the new 1937 design in circulation.

2. These coins are not easily detected, but close examination usually reveals slight defects in the milled edge, the most common being an irregularity in the thickness of the milled edges on either side of the groove.

3. A reward of $250.00 has been offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of manufacturers of these particular coins.

Sd. T. H. KING,
Commissioner of Police.
24. 8. 38.

G. R.

NOTICE.

WATER SUPPLY.

Free Tap Washering Service.

It is hereby notified that from **1st September** until further notice, taps will be rewashered free of charge, on application.

Consumers are requested to use the appropriate telephone number under

"WATER WORKS COMPLAINTS"

Hong Kong—Telephone Number 30840.

Mainland — Telephone Number 50949.

R. M. HENDERSON,
Water Authority.
Public Works Department,
Hongkong, 26th August, 1938.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN.

What to do to help a child

Anyone knowing of a child who has been assaulted, neglected, or ill-treated in a manner likely to cause unnecessary suffering or injury to health, or knowing of a parent who is seeking advice on any matter concerning a child, would be doing an act of kindness by communicating at once with—

The Hon. Secretaries, H.K.S.P.C. The Old City Hall, Queen's Road C., Hongkong, or the Inspector, 49, Pokfulum Road, 1st floor; or the Inspector, Violet Peel Health Centre, Wanchai; or the Inspector, 12, Sai Yeung Choi Street, 1st floor, Kowloon.

All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society.

The Informant's name will be kept strictly private, except in cases where malice is proved.

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

Up To An Awful Let Down....Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orpheans; Waltz—The Dance Goes On (From 'Over She Goes'); Slow Fox-Trot—Did I Remember? (From 'Suzy').....Mantovani and His Tipica Orchestra; Fox-Trots—May I Have The Next Romance? (From 'Head over Heels'); Looking Around Corners For You (From 'Head over Heels')....Ambrose and His Orchestra; Six-Eight—Sarah, The Sergeant Major's Daughter; Fox-Trot—Supposing....Max Murray and His Music Makers with vocal refrain; Fox-Trot—A Rendezvous With A Dream. (From 'Poppy').....Shep Fields and His Rippling Rhythm Orchestra; Waltz—It's A Sin To Tell A Lie.....George Hall and His Orchestra.

11.00 Close Down.

ANEMOGRAPH FOR KAI TAK

In the interests of the rapidly increasing air traffic at Kai Tak Airport, it is considered necessary to instal a Dines Anemograph similar to the instrument soon to be installed at the Royal Observatory.

The instrument accurately determines wind direction and speed on the surface. The cost of $2,250 is down for consideration as a supplementary vote at to-morrow's meeting of the Finance Committee.

LOYALISTS RESUME DEFENSIVE

Insurgents Claim Losses Severe

Bilbao, Aug. 30.

The situation in the Zujar sector of the Estremadura front changed completely yesterday.

The Loyalist offensive, which was launched three days ago, has come to a sudden standstill and the Loyalists are now consolidating their gains and remaining strictly on the defensive.

The Insurgents admit that the Loyalists made some slight gains by throwing a large number of fresh troops into action in a concentrated area, but claim that they were forced to relinquish the greater part of these gains yesterday.

According to an Insurgent report, a counter-attack succeeded in wresting several other positions from the Loyalists.

The Loyalist's "Campesio" brigades have been withdrawn from the Ebro front owing, the Insurgents claim, to the heavy losses they sustained during the recent severe fighting. The fifth Loyalist Division is said to have lost two-thirds of its men, while the XVIth Division is said to have been completely annihilated. The XXXVth Division sustained such heavy casualties, it is claimed, that it was reduced to the strength of a single battalion.—*Trans-Ocean.*

TWO HABITUAL THIEVES TAKEN

Convicted on a charge of attempted larceny of money from Yu Piu, 31, unemployed, in Queen's Road West yesterday, Ho So, 45, unemployed, was sentenced to six months' hard labour by Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Detective-Sergeant J. Allen said Yu was engaged in bargaining over the purchase of a table in the street when Ho went up to him and attempted to extract some dollar notes from his pocket. He had actually inserted his hand into the pocket when Yu felt the touch and seized Ho's hand. Ho managed to escape, but was pursued and caught by a Chinese detective.

Ho had five previous convictions.

A 17-year-old youth, Lo Kwai, was charged with stealing a fountain pen from Ho Kwok-ching, 32, salesman, at the Hoi On Wharf yesterday. He denied the offence, but was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

Sgt. Allen said Ho was leaving the wharf when a Chinese detective on searching duty saw Lo go up to him and under cover of his arm, extract the pen from Ho's pocket. The detective arrested Lo.

The defendant admitted a previous conviction.

French Dockers Refuse New Hours of Work

Marseilles, Aug. 30.

A meeting of dockers this evening decided to refuse to comply with the new hours of work and overtime scale.

A meeting of representatives of all Trade Unions has been called for to-morrow in support of the dockers.—*Reuter.*

READY FOR ACTION

Paris, Aug. 31.

The Executive of the Paris Region Workers' Union issued a manifesto to-day, attacking the decrees passed by the Cabinet yesterday to extend working hours for the purposes of speeding up the output of arms.

The manifesto calls on individual unions to be ready for any action the Confederation Generale du Travail —France's Trade Union Congress —might require.

The Administrative Committee of the C.G.T. meets at 4 p.m. to-day.—*Reuter.*

Thunderstorm Delays Plane

A thunderstorm warning was flashed by radio from the control tower at Kai Tak to the incoming Air France plane at 11 a.m. to-day.

Visibility was nil at the airport and bright flashes of lightning tore the low-flying clouds, as the storm developed.

The Air France machine was forced to circle Hongkong for half an hour and eventually landed at 11.40 a.m.

Passengers aboard the plane were: M. Julien Fontaine, Mme. Suzanne Fontaine, Mr. Shen Liang, Mr. W. L. Bond, Tsue Yee Pi, Li Tsing Tsung, Herr Holtz and Ling Kin Tai.

Several of them had travelled from the interior of China by Yunnanfu, owing to the temporary cancellation of all Chinese inland air services.

The plane will leave Kai Tak on Friday at 6 a.m. on the return flight to Hanoi.

GAOL FOR WIDOW

Six months' hard labour was imposed on Lau Chun, 43, widow, by Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning for returning to the Colony before the expiration of her ten years' banishment term imposed in August, 1930.

SUDETENS TO REJECT CZECH PROPOSALS

(Continued from Page 1.)

Czecho-Slovakia and, secondly, the Government involved will be asked to define their own positions clearly in the case of a German attack on Czecho-Slovakia.—*United Press.*

Britain To Follow Suit

London, Later.

It is disclosed that Britain is preparing to consult Poland, and probably Yugo-Slavia, Rumania and other interested Powers, regarding their attitude in the event of war with Germany.

The Cabinet has issued fresh instructions to the British Ambassador in Berlin, Sir Nevile Henderson, regarding [illegible] direct warning to Herr [illegible].—*United Press.*

No Reply Of Acceptance

London, Aug. 30.

Well-informed quarters state that it is now confirmed that Lord Halifax is now in possession of further particulars regarding the proposals which the Czech Government will shortly submit to the Sudeten-Germans.

The proposals are based fundamentally on the principle of the creation of cantons, similar to the system in existence in Switzerland.

So far, however, there are no signs that Herr Henlein, the Sudeten leader, will accept the new proposals, even as basis for negotiations.

One well-informed source believes that Herr Henlein has not abandoned his demand for complete autonomy.

Lord Halifax, it is authoritatively stated, informed the Cabinet to-day of these proposals.—*Trans-Ocean.*

Contemplate Show Of Strength

Paris, Aug. 30.

It is reported that the French Cabinet is considering the advisability of a display of strength, either by the French and British navies or armies, as a reply to the German manoeuvres, and a silent warning of the dangers of a German attack on Czecho-Slovakia.

If such a step is adopted it will be accompanied by a final cautionary Note, worded as strongly as possible.

In addition, the French Government is believed to be contemplating a new public declaration of military assistance to Czecho-Slovakia in the event of an invasion of that country. —*United Press.*

Italy Won't Fight

Paris, Aug. 30.

It is reliably learned that Signor Mussolini has warned Herr Henlein, the Sudeten leader, that Italy will not fight the western democracies to back his claims.

This is taken as an indication that Germany will not be able to count on Italian support in the event of an invasion of Czecho-Slovakia precipitating war.—*United Press.*

May Be Turning Point

Prague, Aug. 30.

While the greatest secrecy is being maintained regarding between the President, Dr. Edouard Benes, and the Sudeten leaders, Herr Kundt and Herr Sebedowsky, to-day, it is obtously the beginning of fresh contacts which may mark the turning point in the whole situation.

The reason why the proposed meeting between Dr. Benes and Herr Henlein has been put off is not explained but possiby the Czech President perferred to see Herr Kundt rather than Herr Henlein, who has never taken the Oath of Allegiance. Herr Kundt, as leader of the Sudeten Parliamentary Party, is regarded by the Czechs as an opponent, but is not stamped an enemy of the present regime.

Position Explained

Herr Kundt and Herr Sebedowsky are reputed to be moderate Sudetens and there is reason to believe that Dr. Benes has explained to them how far the Government is prepared to go towards mutual agreement.

If the Germans consider that the Government proposals meet their view on the two questions of principle on which they take their stand, namely, the recognition of their juridical entity and full equality of status, then negotiations will be resumed with some hope of success.

Further Concessions

Prague, Aug. 30.

A police edict has repealed the ban on political meetings, semi-military salutes and the display of party emblems.

This is regarded as a fresh concession on the part of the Czech Government.—*United Press.*

Mussolini Delays Vacation

Rome, Aug. 30.

Signor Mussolini has delayed his normal vacation, and is remaining in Rome awaiting the outcome of the present crisis.—*United Press.*

Paris Still Hopeful

Paris, Aug. 30.

Optimism prevails here that Britain will succeed in settling the crisis.

Le Temps, after paying a handsome tribute to British diplomatic actions, adds that it is certain that the crisis will be rapidly settled if Berlin recommends that the Sudetens adopt a policy of moderation and conciliation.

It is reported here that the British Cabinet has decided to allow Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Lord Halifax a free hand in Czecho-Slovakia.

The belief in political circles in Paris is that the British Ambassador, Sir Nevile Henderson will convey to Berlin a letter of the utmost friendliness but intimating in the clearest language that a peaceful settlement of Sudeten questions rests with Herr Hitler alone, because Herr Henlein is not a free agent.—*Reuter.*

Not Anti-Fascist

Rome, Aug. 30.

The result of the emergency meeting of the British Cabinet is considered here as a favourable sign that Britain still believes that conciliation may solve the problem.

It is thought here that Mr. Chamberlain will make a personal appeal to Herr Hitler to prevent the atmosphere deteriorating.

Britain's peace moves are recognised as not being of an anti-Fascist nature.—*Reuter.*

TROOPING SEASON COMMENCES

RELIEFS FOR HONGKONG AND FAR EAST

London, Aug. 30.

The trooping season will open on Thursday when the troopship Lancashire will leave Southampton for Chinwangtao, taking the Second Battalion of the East Surrey Regiment to Shanghai and the families of the First Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry to Tientsin, the 54th Field Company, Royal Engineers, to Egypt and Far East Stations, Naval details to Colombo and Hongkong, and the First Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry from Shanghai to Tientsin.

On September 2, H. M. T. Nevasa will leave Southampton, taking the Headquarters of the 10th Infantry Brigade, 10th Brigade Signal Section and the Second Battalion, the King's Own Royal Regiment to Palestine, Military drafts to Gibraltar and Palestine and Naval Details to Malta. The Nevasa will leave Haifa on September 14 on the return journey, carrying military details to Egypt and the United Kingdom.

On September 6, H. M. T. Somersetshire will sail from Southampton with military drafts for India. The Dilwara will leave Southampton for Singapore on September 14, taking the First Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment to Palestine, the First Battalion, the Manchester Regiment from Palestine to Malaya, families of the First Battalion, the Manchester Regiment from the United Kingdom and Malta to Malaya, and military drafts to Malta, Palestine and Malaya.

On September 15, the Neuralia will leave Southampton, carrying the First Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment, the Second Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment and Military and Royal Air Force drafts to Palestine. On September 16 the Dorsetshire will leave the same port, taking military drafts to Aden and India.

H. M. T. Dunera will leave Southampton on September 27, taking Naval details to Colombo and Hongkong, Military drafts to Ceylon and the Far East Stations, and Royal Air Force drafts to Far East Stations.—*British Wireless.*

FEAR NAZIS WANT ARMED "SHOW-DOWN"

(Continued from Page 1.)

in London, in order to ascertain the result of the emergency meeting of the Cabinet.

It is emphasised in authoritative quarters that the British and French Governments are acting in this, as in all international crises, in the closest co-operation.—*Trans-Ocean.*

Cabinet Communique

London, Aug. 30.

The emergency Cabinet meeting lasted for nearly three hours, ending at 1.43 p.m.

Shortly afterwards the following official *communique* was issued:

"The meeting of the Ministers took place yesterday morning in the official residence of the Prime Minister, No. 10, Downing Street.

"Those present were the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Sir John Simon, Lord Maughan, Sir Samuel Hoare, Lord Halifax, the Earl de la Warr, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Sir Thomas Inskip, Mr. Duff Cooper, Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, Sir Kingsley Wood, Mr. John Colville, Mr. Oliver Stanley, Mr. W. S. Morrison, Lord Stanhope, Mr. Walter Elliot, Mr. Ernest Brown and the Earl of Winterton.

"His Majesty's Ambassador in Berlin, Sir Nevile Henderson, was also present. The Foreign Minister made a political report on the international situation and at the close of the meeting the Ministers gave their assent to the steps that had already been taken and to the policy that will be followed in the future.

"No further meeting was arranged, but all Ministers will remain within the vicinity of London."—*Trans-Ocean.*

Britain United

London, Aug. 30.

In a speech at Calthness, the Liberal Parliamentary Leader, Sir Archibald Sinclair, referred to Sir John Simon's speech on Saturday, and said, in giving warning by mouth of the Chancellor of the Exchequer the British Government had the whole country behind it.

It would be well, he thought, if those concerned realised that if they forced this issue they could not count on any dissension in British public opinion, but that they would be confronted by a united nation.—*British Wireless.*

FOUND HANGING, BUT ALIVE

In an alleged attempt to commit suicide, Yeung Sau, 28, a woman, was found hanging in her room in the Tai Ming boarding-house yesterday. She was taken to the Queen Mary Hospital.

HOPEFUL SOLUTION REMAINS POSSIBLE

(Continued from Page 1.)

bute, is known to be using his influence on both the Czecho-Slovak Government and the Sudeten German Party with a view to promoting an agreement, but it is recognised in London that the success of his efforts depends on the one hand on the extent and reality of the concessions which the Government in Prague and the coalition parties are ready to make; and on the other hand on the extent and nature of the influence exerted from outside on the Sudeten German Party, and, the spirit in which Herr Henlein's followers receive the Czech Government's advances.

The British Government is hoping for early evidence of a revival of the stage of active negotiation. There is no disposition to minimise the gravity and the difficulty of the decisions which have to be taken by the leaders in Czecho Slovakia, but both in the press and in official circles here, full weight is also given to encouraging factors, among which are an increasing realisation of the responsibilities which the present dangerous situation imposes, and the appearance of a growing willingness to accept them and make the necessary concessions.

Another encouraging factor is the discipline displayed among Sudeten Germans, and in this connection there is evident relief that this has so far not diminished as a result of the recent Party manifesto on the exercise of self defence.

Equally important are the good conduct of the police and the readiness with which the authorities have undertaken an examination of incidents, and the frankness with which they have admitted facts when they themselves, or Czech crowds, have appeared to have been at fault.

It is confidently expected that the Czecho-Slovak Government will continue to do all in its power to prevent incidents and preserve order.—*British Wireless.*

DANGER OF NEW INCIDENT

Washington Press Critical Of Japan's Attitude

Washington, Aug. 30.

The *Evening Star*, in an editorial to-night, says that there are the making of another Panay incident in the perilous position of the Monocacy, which is isolated near Kiukiang.

"The Japanese are building up another good case against themselves. If the Monocacy comes to grief, the excuse will be that a Chinese mine did the damage, but the stubborn insistence on the part of the Japanese that the Monocacy should not attempt to proceed to Shanghai at the present stage of hostilities smacks strongly of retaliation.

"There is more than suspicion that the Japanese Command, having failed to persuade the Powers to withdraw their shipping from the Yangtse River, is now striving to prevent the navigation of it.

"Such obstinacy does little to restore good feeling between the United States and Japan which, in any case, it will take considerable time to effect."—*United Press.*

POST OFFICE.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due.
Straits and Manila	Deucalion	August 31.
Saigon	Marechal Joffre	August 31.
Shanghai and Swatow	Sulyang	August 31.
Japan and Shanghai	Corfu	September 2.

Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 28th August. Imperial Airways Plane September 2.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Wednesday		
Parcels only for Straits	Cremer	Wed., Aug. 31, 5 p.m.
Thursday		
*Swatow, *Shanghai and Tientsin	Tingsang	Thurs., Sept. 1. 12.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and *Foochow	Selstan	Thurs., Sept. 1, 3 p.m.
Swatow and Amoy	Anhui	Thurs., Sept. 1, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, (Parcels and Papers only for Canada)—due Vancouver B.C. 19th. September.	Empress of Russia	Thurs., Sept. 1. G.P.O. and K.P.O.
	Parcels	Sept. 1, 3 p.m.
	Reg.	Sept. 1, 4.15 p.m.
	Ord.	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
Saigon	Aramis	Thurs., Sept. 1, G.P.O. and K.P.O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 1, 4.15 p.m.
	Ord.,	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 8th. September.	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., Sept. 1. K.P.O.
	Reg.	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Sept. 1, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O.
	Reg.	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Sept. 1, 7 p.m.
Air Mail for Malaya and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 16th Sept.	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., Sept. 1. K.P.O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	Sept. 1, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O.
	Reg.,	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	Sept. 1, 7 p.m.
Manila, and (Parcels and Papers for Australia and New Zealand)—due Brisbane, 19th September.	Tanda	Thurs., Sept. 1. G.P.O. and K.P.O.
	Parcels,	Sept. 1, 5 p.m.
	Reg.,	Sept. 2, 8.45 a.m.
	Ord.,	Sept. 2, 9.30 a.m.
Friday		
Amoy and Shanghai	Tjisadane	Fri., Sept. 2, 8.30 a.m.
Kongmoon	On Lee	Fri., Sept. 2, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Yunnan	Fri., Sept. 2, 2.30 p.m.

*Superscribed correspondence only

EXTRA SPECIAL!

Exclusive Newsreel

of

The TRAGEDY of C.N.A.C. AIRLINER "KWEILIN"

Including a statement by its surviving pilot, Mr. H. L. Woods.

presented by

THE CHINA MOTION PICTURE CO.

Showing TO-MORROW at the

QUEEN'S & ALHAMBRA

The Hongkong Telegraph

EIGHTH ANNUAL AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION

June—September, 1938

$250 CASH PRIZES $250

(Donated by "Hongkong Telegraph")

TWO SILVER TROPHIES, VALUED $250

(Donated by ILFORD, Ltd., London)

BELL & HOWELL FILMO DOUBLE EIGHT MOVIE CAMERA & CASE, VALUED $288

(Donated by Filmo Depot, Hongkong)

SPECIAL PRESENTATION DE LUXE PHOTO ALBUM

Hand-made in leather by a renowned Vienna artist to the value of $100.00

Donated by:—HELMUT NOCHT

To be awarded to the best action study, including sequence shots. Open to all classes.

THE ILFORD TROPHIES WILL BE AWARDED TO THE BEST AND SECOND BEST ENTRIES IN THE COMPETITION, IRRESPECTIVE OF CLASS.

Prizes will be allotted as follows:

SECTION ONE:

FOR STORY-TELLING PICTURES

First Prize: Bell & Howell Filmo Double 8 Camera, Streamline Model, four speeds self-setting footage indicator, built-in exposure guide, single picture device. Complete with case. Donated by Filmo Depot., Hongkong.

Second Prize: $40 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Third Prize: $20 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

SECTION TWO:

GENERAL PICTORIAL SECTION (VIEWS, ARCHITECTURE, LANDSCAPES, SEASCAPES, HUMAN & ANIMAL STUDIES).

First Prize: $50 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Second Prize: $25 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Third Prize: $15 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

SECTION THREE:

STUDIES IN STILL LIFE

First Prize: $30 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Second Prize: $20 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Third Prize: $15 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

SECTION FOUR:

SNAPSHOTS TAKEN BY CHILDREN UNDER 14 YEARS

First Prize: $20 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

Second Prize: $15 Cash, donated by "The Hongkong Telegraph."

COMMENCE SENDING IN YOUR ENTRIES NOW

RULES

The following Rules will govern the Competition:

1.—The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.

2.—No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.

3.—The prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photograph in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by an entry form which will be published during the period of the Competition, and which must be pasted on back of entry.

4.—All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are ineligible.

5.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries.

6.—All entries to be either black, sepia or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Hand-coloured photographs are ineligible.

7.—Pictures submitted in sepia tone should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.

8.—No picture to be entered in more than one Section.

9.—Mounts to be only white or cream, and, except in the Children's Section, must be of one of the following sizes:—10" by 14", 10" by 12", 10" by 8".

10.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.

11.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the entrant's name, age and address on the entry form, counter signed by a parent.

12.—Members of the Staffs of the *Hongkong Telegraph* and the *South China Morning Post* are not permitted to compete.

13.—The decisions of the Judges shall be final.

14.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at the *Telegraph* offices within seven days.

USE THIS FORM AND PASTE-IT ON THE BACK OF EACH ENTRY.

ENTRY FORM

SECTION .....

NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

DATE .....

Please use block letters and paste this on back of each Entry. If entered in Children's Section parent please countersign here.

.....

GUERILLAS TEAR UP RAILWAY

Peiping-Shanhaikuan Line Interrupted

Peiping, Aug. 31.

For five hours this morning railway traffic from Peiping to Shanhaikuan was brought to a standstill by guerillas, who tore up the track on either side of Tientsin.

At Wangchuan, half-way between Tientsin and Peiping, the guerillas tore up the track, set fire to the station and then attacked the nearby Japanese garrison, necessitating land reinforcements and air units being rushed from Peiping.

Guerillas in east Hopei now greatly outnumber the Japanese garrisons along the railway, which are attacked every day at different places.—*Reuter.*

Hongkong Is Facing A Record Drought

Hongkong continues to gasp for rain.

During the past 24 hours only .3 of an inch fell, making the year's total 44.22 inches—one of the smallest rainfalls in history.

The maximum temperature shot up to 89 yesterday, with a minimum last night of 78. This morning the Colony was a little cooler with 80 degrees being registered. Humidity was 92 per cent.

The Royal Observatory weather report issued this morning stated that an anti-cyclone is situated over the Pacific to the east and south-east of Japan. Depressions are situated over Tongkong, midway between Tokyo and the Bonins, and over the western Carolines.

Local forecast is:—South winds, moderate; fair to showery.

Radio Reserve For R.A.F. Now Forming

London, Aug. 30.

A new Civilian Wireless Reserve of the Royal Air Force was announced to-night.

The Reserve, in which it is hoped radio amateurs will serve, is intended to build up an adequate and efficient reserve behind the signals branch of the R.A.F., immediately available in any period of emergency.

Training will be undertaken mostly by volunteers at their homes on their own sets and will consist of regular exercises broadcast from the Air Ministry, in addition to occasional attendance at R.A.F. Stations for exercises and lectures.—*Reuter Special.*

PURCHASING INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL

Finance Committee To Consider Vote

To acquire the Tung Wah Infectious Diseases Hospital at Kennedy Town for future extensions to the adjoining Government institution, Government is asking for $50,000 at to-morrow's meeting of the Finance Committee. The Tung Wah Directors have agreed to the resumption of the property.

Another building property at No. 534, Magazine Gap Road, is being sought by Government for conversion into quarters for senior officials. The owner has agreed to an offer of $40,000, which is lower than the official valuation of the property and the return to Government by way of rent and saving in allowances will be six per cent. on the purchase price. Approval will be asked for a supplementary vote of $40,000 to-morrow.

ROCKET CAR DRIVER DIES SUDDENLY

Vienna, Aug. 30.

Dr. Fritz von Opel, famous Austrian motor-racer and inventor of the rocket car, died suddenly to-day at the age of 39 years.

He visited Hongkong on a round-the-world tour in 1932.—*Reuter.*

Dr. von Opel was born at Russelsheim-au-Main in May, 1899, the grandson of Adam Opel, founder of the famous cycle and motor works.

During the war he served first in the army and then in the air force, being stationed in Belgium. Afterwards he studied at the Darmstadt Technical College and entered the family firm, taking charge of the cycle section.

Opel was connected with Valier in the "rocket car" experiments. The first test took place on a track at his works in 1928, without a driver, but during the second trial Opel was at the wheel and achieved a speed of 140 m.p.h. Later tests led to the destruction of two cars which blew up. At the same time Opel was engaged in the construction of a "rocket" aeroplane, the first flight of which on June 12, 1928, is said to have been a success.

EAR-RING SNATCHERS MAY BE CANED

Two ear-ring snatchers, Li Chuk, 17, and Wong Sang, 26, both unemployed, were remanded to Friday by Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning to ascertain whether they would be fit for caning.

The victims were Wai Yee, and Tang Kwai. Sub-Inspector T. K. Whelan prosecuted.

NEW TRANSPARENT COLOUR FOR LIPS

This method of lip colouring, stolen from the glamorous South Sea Maiden, makes lips positively irresistible!

Instead of coating your lips with an opaque lipstick that's more likely to repel than attract . . . TATTOO them with a transparent South Sea red that is completely irresistible! It's *marvelous.* Looks just like a part of your lips and stays on like mad. Softens lips too . . . makes them doubly adorable. Try it! See the five luscious shades of TATTOO at your favourite store. There are various sizes at prices to fit every purse. TATTOO your lips!

CORAL . . EXOTIC . . NATURAL . . PASTEL . . HAWAIIAN

TATTOO YOUR LIPS for Romance!

For your complete beauty treatment, use Tattoo Powder, Rouge and Mascara (Cream with brush)

Sole Distributor:

Auw Pit Seng's Trading Co., Ltd. Hongkong.

FAMOUS SURGEON PASSES

SIR DAVID WILKIE

London, Aug. 30.

It is disclosed that the death occurred on Sunday of Sir David Wilkie, the famous abdominal surgeon.—*United Press.*

Sir David Wilkie, who was Professor of Surgery at the Edinburgh University, was born at Kirriemuir in 1882. He was educated at Edinburgh University, and later in Bonn, Bern and Vienna.

For his research in abdominal surgery, particularly in peritonitis, acute intestinal obstruction, duodenal ulcers, diseases of the appendix, biliary passages and spleen, he was awarded the Liston Victoria Jubilee Prize in 1918. He is the author of several medical and surgical text books and was President of the Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland.

Sturdy, happy Babyhood

The foundations of a robust constitution are laid in the nursery. 'KEPLER' COD Liver Oil with MALT Extract, an easily digested food, will supply the vitamins and nutriment necessary to the formation of firm flesh and bone.

TRADE 'KEPLER' MARK

COD Liver Oil with MALT Extract

Bottles of two sizes from all Pharmacies and Stores

BURROUGHS WELLCOME & CO. (THE WELLCOME FOUNDATION LTD., LONDON, E.C.1)

LONDON AND SHANGHAI

Copyright

KING AIR-CONDITIONED THEATRE

COMENCING TO-MORROW

ALSO

LATEST MUSICAL SHORT "COMMUNITY SING"	KRAZY KAT CARTOON "MASQUE RAID"	ANDY CLYDE COMEDY "MY LITTLE FELLER"

UP FROM THE OCEAN'S FLOOR... HERE HE COMES TO *Thrill* YOU!

TO-MORROW At The QUEEN'S

COPIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS by "Staff Photographer" appearing in the "SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST" and "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" may be purchased at the Business Office of "The Hongkong Telegraph" Morning Post Building, Wyndham Street.

COUNT THE "TELEGRAPHS" EVERYWHERE

Watson's Lavender Talcum

A TOILET NECESSITY FOR ELEGANCE & COMFORT.
Combining the Fragrance of Old English Lavender with Mild Antiseptic and Absorbent Qualities in Improved Form.

In Large Size Containers 80 cts.

Refills ..... 60 cts.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

NEW H.M.V. RECORDINGS

From August Release

DANCE RECORDS

10-inch Records	Dance Orchestra	
I fall in love with you every day—F.T. (V.R. by Denny Dennis) / How'd ja like to love me—F.T. (V.R. by Mary Lee) (Both from film "Swing Teacher, Swing")	ROY FOX	BD 5371 .
Sunday in the Park—F.T. ("Happy Returns") / Shadows on the Moor—F.T. (From film "Girl of the Golden West") (Both with V.R. by Denny Dennis)	"	BD 5369 .
Please be kind—F.T. (V.R.) / When the organ played "O! promise me"—F.T. (V.R.)	JACK HARRIS	BD 5373 .
My Heaven in the Pines—F.T. (V.R.) / You got the best of the bargain—Waltz (V.R.)	"	BD 5374 .
Love walked in—F.T. (V.R.) / Love is here to stay—F.T. (V.R.) (Both from Film "Goldwyn Follies") (All with V.R. by Sam Browne)	"	BD 5375 .
Take a tip from the Tulip—Quick Step (Film "Radio City Revels") / You got the best of the bargain—W.	HENRY JACQUES	BD 5370 .
Rose of Tralee—F.T. / 'Tis I myself—F.T. (V.R. by Dan Donovan)	DAN DONOVAN	BD 5372 .
Ole King Cole—F.T. (V.R. by Teddy Foster) / Swanee—F.T.	TEDDY FOSTER	BD 5301 .

"BAND – LIGHT INSTRUMENTAL"

FIRST RECORDS—TATTOO—ALDERSHOT, 1938

Massed Bands of the Aldershot and Eastern Commands conducted by W. N. Campbell

Slavonic Rhapsody (Friedemann)	B 8755 .
Tudor Rose—Combined Band and Bugle March (Trayton Adams)	B 8756 .
Royal Review—March (Bassett Silver) / Tournament—March (A. Young) / The Standard of St. George—March (Alford)	B 8757 .

S. Moutrie & Co., Ltd.
YORK BUILDING CHATER ROAD.

Music hath charms

Sunday Classical Concert at Repulse Bay Hotel
Under leadership of
Geo. Pio-Ulski

Programme for Sunday, 4, September, 1938.
1 p.m. — 2.30 p.m.

PROGRAMME

1. Beautiful Galathea. Ouverture ...Suppe.
2. Salute d'Amour .....Elgar.
3. Moonlight on the Alster. Waltz ..Fetras.
4. Dubinushka. Potpourri .....Leopold.
5. Barcarole .....Tschaikowsky.
6. Polo—Spiele .....Fetras.
7. Los Companilleros .....Mostazo.

For Reservations phone 27775.

REPULSE BAY HOTEL

THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI HOTELS, LTD.

Be proud of the appearance of your automobile.

Keep the finish looking like new by polishing or waxing . . . clean the windows and polish the chromium. These are all important steps towards the beauty of your car.

But . . .

For that FINISHED BEAUTY . . . for that final step in giving your car that smart different appearance, use WHIZ WHITE TIRE COATING.

WHIZ WHITE TIRE COATING gives your automobile that sought after

Beauty . . .

Sold Here
HONGKONG HOTEL GARAGE
Stubbs Rd.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1938.

PRECAUTIONS ADVISABLE

It is perfectly true that in the past decade there have been all too frequent cries of "Wolf!" and that the British public, particularly, may have come to take them almost as a matter of course. "Newspaper talk," is so often the label pinned to the sensational stories of disturbing and sometimes frightening political events, in the mind of the reader of despatches from the capitals of the world. But that is neither just nor sensible. Opinions of trained observers and statements from responsible spokesmen are not conceived or issued for the benefit of newspapers, but for the enlightenment of the general public. Headlines merely call attention to them. In the last forty-eight hours developments in the European arena have come so swiftly and so confusingly that it has been difficult to sort them out and, removing them from their rhetorical embellishments, to examine them in a revealing light. What do we find? Germany has mobilised a mighty war machine for what she chooses to call manoeuvres, which will extend, incidentally, over a period of months; her press is campaigning very energetisally, to arouse sympathy for the cause of the Sudeten Germans; the Sudetens themselves are refusing to consider any compromise in their quarrel with the Czecho-Slovakians: hence, suspicion and distrust among those peoples who have reason either to fear Germany's motives, her expansion into the Danubian basin, or her infringement of the rights of free peoples. On the other side, so to speak, France has quietly moved troops to the frontier for manoeuvres; the Czechs have unquestionably hastened the strengthening of their defences; Great Britain is believed to have taken certain precautionary measures, probably in the form of gearing up her mobilisation machinery; and a nebulous alignment of nations of enormous strength has appeared to have taken shape against which Germany, and possible allies, must collide in any march across the Czech frontier. Thus, the German radicals, if they do contemplate a Czecho-Slovakian adventure, will probably pause, and reconsider. Moreover, there is good reason to believe that Britain and the United States, with Canada a mutual friend and participant, have finally achieved the long-awaited reciprocal trade pact, which brings the great Anglo-Saxon democracies closer together than they have been since 1917—or since 1776, for that matter. Are all these sensational developments in Europe likely to end in compromise, graceful or otherwise, then? It seems likely. For the terrible and needless risk which Germany would face were she to undertake hostilities seems to be too great even for that very formidable military power. Moreover, there are brilliant men working desperately for compromise, and among them is Lord Runciman, trying to bring together on common ground the Sudetens and Czecho-Slovakians. He may well be the key-man in this puzzle of people whose rough edges are so difficult to fit into any sort of peaceful pattern. But he has not lost hope and is still striving. Admittedly the position is delicate; and there is no use denying the danger of an explosion. One shot, one knife thrust, even an ill-chosen word might bring catastrophe, for national feelings are at fever heat. But the position is by no means hopeless. Even if a Sudete-Czech compromise is not immediately possible, if the German attitude can be softened it may mean the difference between peace and war. Just the same, while it is well to have faith in the diplomats and statesmen in whose hands the negotiations must remain, it is not wise to trust entirely to their efforts. It is as well to be prepared for all eventualities. If His Majesty's Government takes any precautionary step it will have the sympathetic support of every British man and woman who believes that Britain's strength may yet prove the decisive weight in the scales against hostilities. It would be infinitely more desirable if negotiators could succeed without the threat of force behind them. But nothing should be left untried when a solution of the present difficulties means so much to all the world—and to all posterity.

There may be "Fire Under Europe," but remember that there is PEACE OVER ENGLAND

by **BRUCE BLUNT**

A WOODEN fish sits on the wall and smokes a pipe.

It is a fish from the waters of imagination, but from its high perch it looks over the waters of the river Parret as it flows through Bridgwater.

The Parret snuggles down between its muddy banks at low tide.

Bridgwater snuggles down between the hills and the sea, and wears a deceptive air of slumber. Bridgwater always sleeps with one eye open.

FASHIONS may change and trades may vanish, but Bridgwater will always find something else to do. It never intends to be left in a backwater, but it moves forward in its own unflurried way, with the dignity of a well-handled ship.

On the curve of the wall beneath the fish one reads the words "Joker's Corner," set out in neat black lettering like any other street-name.

—The little creeper-covered shop at the corner sells lollipops and eel-hooks.

The one who never liked lollipops and could never catch an eel, it was a relief to see that the shop sold cigarettes as well. One can ask questions over a packet of cigarettes.

A middle-aged woman came to the counter from an inner room.

"Has this spot been known as Joker's Corner for long?" I asked her.

"Only for about five years," she said. "It was my husband's own idea."

Such inconsequence will probably last when other more pompous place-names have been changed and forgotten. One feels that the corner will keep its name long after the jester has gone.

"That is a very accomplished fish which you have on the wall outside."

"Oh, he's not so good as the fish on the other wall. The other one sings, and keeps on catching little fish in its mouth at the same time."

I went out to look at this fish of genius. It was a bold and garish creature. Its bright red nose outshone the mellow redness of the old brick wall.

* * *

There was news of a different red on other walls.

"General Nicolai Biclov, ex-chief of the West Russian Soviet Army, was shot in the Lubyanka Oppu Prison, Moscow.

"Several other high officers were executed at the same time."

* * *

A GREAT cone of deep red brick rises nearly a hundred feet against the sky.

It is the kiln of a pottery, or, rather, the outer shell enclosing three large kilns.

Up a few steps, and in through its doorway, and the world was shut away.

No fires were burning in the kilns, and the vast, circular space was hushed. The only sound came from the wind outside the small, dusty windows.

On wooden shelves were ranged thousands of grey flowerpots of all sizes waiting for the firing. They stood like a multitude of ghosts in the dim light.

WILLIAM ROUTLEY, the foreman, moved among them. He has been a potter for forty years.

I asked a question which had never occurred to me before.

"How does the hole get into the bottom of a flower-pot?"

"It is made by the thumb of the potter," said the foreman.

And he showed with his supple hands how a flower-pot takes shape on the wheel from a lump of clay in less than a minute.

"A skilled man can make 900 of these small pots in a day," he told me.

It takes thirty hours in the kiln to change these grey shapes into the red and ringing flowerpots in which your plants and cuttings will grow.

One could see the colour of English gardens which will spring from those pallid ranks.

Jugs and bread-pans, washing-bowls and chimney-pots stand there as well, waiting for the fires next day.

* * *

Other fires are already alight. "At night the countryside is dotted with bonfires where the Republicans are burning their dead."

* * *

ON the opposite side of the river is the Rope Walk.

Here they will make you a 180-yards ship's cable which weighs a ton, or some fish-net twine which is so thin that it takes a mile of it to weigh a pound.

The roofed Rope Walk is 230 yards long, and run the whole length of a street.

The machine which carries the stands travels by cable from one end of the building to the other. You need length if you are going to make rope.

The Waddons have been making rope there for more than a hundred years.

The present head of the firm, Mr. Clifford Waddon, is in the tradition of that hundred years.

Tall, broad, and independent, he would rather make no rope at all than make a bad one. But he intends to go on making rope.

Modern substitutes may have done the industry some harm, but there is plenty of life in it yet.

Here you can buy cow-spans made of horsehair, pig-nets, ricknets and rabbit-nets, cables for big ships, painters for little boats.

* * *

Other people's boats.

"Across the bridge, on the Honan side, the bodies of forty-nine boat-dwellers were laid.

"Eye-witnesses say that between thirty and forty other people were blown into the river by the force of explosions. Their bodies were swept away by the tide."

* * *

MISSILES are being flung at the Toby Inn, but they come rolling harmlessly back down the long chute to the players.

"I thought that skittles was dying out," I said.

"Not a bit of it," retorted one of the players. "They are building a lot of new skittle alleys in the West. This is one of them."

Behind the skittles with a pint of beer beside him, stands the "sticker-up." He is there to replace the fallen skittles after a player has had his throw. A pleasant, thirsty job.

I am glad that they are building more skittle alleys in the West. A good game to play in that countryside on summer evenings, with the Quantocks looming purple in the distance.

A ball goes on its noisy way along the wooden alley. Two skittles fall.

* * *

"All-day bombing of Canton. One hundred and fifty-six killed and missing."

* * *

I THOUGHT, "I will call upon Miss Smith, who knows the Quantock Hills by heart."

I did so, and asked after the Quantocks.

"You have come too late for the rhododendrons," said Miss Smith, a little reproachfully.

"But in good time for the meadow-sweet and mallow," I answered. "I think that I like them better than rhododendrons."

A pained expression crossed Miss Smith's face. I had spoken slightingly of something which grows on the Quantocks.

But, all the same, she took me to the hills.

Through lanes with hedges so high that one could see nothing we climbed into hills which were so high that we could see everything.

Across Sedgemoor to the Polden Hills and the Mendips, across the Severn Sea to the hills of Wales, away to the Brendon Hills and the brooding bulk of Exmoor, and across the far-stretching level greenness of some of England's richest grassland, strung with tall elms and dotted with grey stone manors and farmhouses of which the centuries have hardly scratched the surface.

* * *

"During the desperate fighting of the past month Sarrion has been shelled, bombed and dynamited. It is now little more than a heap of stones."

* * *

"YOU must see Stogursey and its church," said Miss Smith. "The name is really a corruption of Stoke Courcy."

Storgursey or Stoke Courcy—it matters little. The place will survive under either name.

It is cool and quiet under the great Norman arches of the church.

The strength and grace of pillar and arch seem almost as timeless as the hills beyond the window.

Beneath one of the arches is a high stone tomb, with the recumbent figure of a knight upon it. The date is 1461.

Close to the figure is an inscription which reads:—

"Of your charity pray for the soul of

JOHN VERNEY,

who 500 years ago did so hard a thing, and left us an example so noble."

Requiescat in pace, John Verney. You sleep in England, and

GRIN AND BEAR IT ..... By Lichty

"Judith—have you seen anything of Daddy's plaything?"

British Navy Prepares for Manoeuvres

"BRITAIN READY TO FIGHT"

Cabinet Decides To Warn Hitler, Says Authority

London, Aug. 30.

A usually reliable source states that the Cabinet has decided to undertake Naval preparations culminating in North Sea manoeuvres.

One high source told *United Press*: "I believe the Cabinet has shown that, if necessary, Great Britain is ready to fight."

It is believed that the limit of efforts decided on by to-day's emergency meeting of the Cabinet was that Herr Hitler should be warned that an invasion of Czecho-Slovakia would mean war.

It is obvious that London and Paris are in the closest harmony.

The debate during the Cabinet meeting did not betray signs of wavering and the Ministers were mainly engaged in evolving the technique necessary for the approach to Herr Hitler.

Cabinet adjourned at 1.40 p.m.

Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, remained at No. 10 Downing Street after the Cabinet had adjourned, and continued conversations with the Prime Minister.—*United Press.*

WILL FIGHT BESIDE FRENCH

London, Aug. 31.

The British Cabinet has instructed Sir Nevile Henderson to inform the German Government that, if the necessity arose, "this country is ready to fight if France is involved in war as a result of German aggression in Czecho-Slovakia."

The British warning, which is couched in the firmest language the country has used towards Germany since 1914, will not be delivered if tension eases before the Ambassador return to Berlin.

LATER

The Cabinet also heard the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, explain on the report received from Sir Nevile Henderson, who remained outside the Cabinet room ready to furnish explanations if called in to the meeting.

It is now regarded as not at all certain that Britain will send a formal note to Herr Hitler, but may decide, to instruct the Ambassador to make a verbal *demarche* in strong terms.

The decision of the Cabinet is not likely to be made known until Sir Nevile Henderson returns to Berlin and has had an opportunity of making contact with the German Government.—*United Press.*

HITLER TO BE INFORMED

London, Aug. 30.

Some sources here believe that Herr Hitler is personally insufficiently appraised of the sentiment existing in London, hence it is understood that Sir Nevile Henderson has been instructed to try and see the German Chancellor personally, possibly to convey a friendly and personal letter from Mr. Chamberlain.—*United Press.*

BONNET'S POLICY APPROVED

Paris, Aug. 31.

Unanimous approval has been given by the French Cabinet to the policy followed during the past month by the Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bonnet.

It is learned in well-informed quarters that, following the Cabinet meeting, the position of France, *vis-a-vis* Czecho-Slovakia, remains unchanged, and that France will execute all obligations under the pact with that country.

General Vuillemin, Chief of Staff of the French Air Force, left no doubt regarding this in the minds of German Ministers during his recent visit to Germany.

It is thus considered that any *demarche* to Berlin recalling France's undertakings towards Czecho-Slovakia would be superfluous, particularly as it is desired to avoid any action which might be misinterpreted in Germany.—*Reuter.*

U.S. Navy May Request More Building Funds

Washington, Aug. 30.

Admiral William D. Leahy, Chief of Staff of the U.S. Navy, stated to-day that it is expected that Congress will be asked for an increase of U.S.$200,000,000 in funds providing for the fleet expansion programme.

Admiral Leahy's statement was made after he has conferred with President Roosevelt—

AMERICA MAY TRY TO AVERT COLLISION

Hull And Roosevelt In Conference

Europe's Danger Not Minimized

Washington, Aug. 30.

President Roosevelt to-day conferred with Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, who went to the White House after reading the latest despatches from Europe.

It is expected that the U.S. Ambassador in London, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, will report to President Roosevelt to-day on his interview with the British Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain.

The American Ambassadors in Berlin and Prague are also closely watching and reporting on the situation, whose extreme gravity nobody here attempts to minimize.

There is some speculation whether the United States Government will undertake more specific action in an effort to maintain peace. Such action might take the form of a direct appeal to Berlin and Prague by President Roosevelt or Mr. Cordell Hull.

Although officials naturally decline confirmation it is widely felt here that President Roosevelt would not permit Europe to drift into war without raising his voice and at least putting on record the abhorrence the American people will feel for any leader or leaders who deliberately break peace.—*Reuter.*

U.S. Ambassador Sees Mr. Chamberlain

London, Aug. 30.

The U. S. Ambassador, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, saw Mr. Neville Chamberlain this afternoon.

The British Ambassador to Germany, Sir Nevile Henderson, was present at the meeting.—*Reuter.*

Fully Informed

London, Aug. 30.

Ostensibly on a routine call, the U.S. Ambassador, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, visited Mr. Neville Chamberlain before the Prime Minister left for Balmoral Castle to-day.

Mr. Chamberlain fully informed the U.S. Ambassador of the situation in Europe and of Britain's plans regarding Czecho-Slovakia.

It is believed that Mr. Kennedy has telegraphed detailed reports to President Roosevelt and to the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull.—*United Press.*

Still For Isolation

Washington, Aug. 31.

Senator Key Pittman, in a statement to *United Press* to-day, declared that the American armed forces were the best possible insurance against aggression.

"Our Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, is maintaining an excellent foreign policy," he declared.

"Our policy of isolation and refusal to become aligned with European Powers is enviable."

Senator Pittman expressed the opinion that President Roosevelt's speech in Canada was a "statement of fact that any efforts to invade Canada would bring immediate action from the United States."—*United Press.*

Kwangtung Officials Visit Colony

Returning Call Of Governor

General Wu Teh-chen, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, and Mr. Tseng Yang-fu, Mayor of Canton, arrived here last night by special train on the Canton-Kowloon railway. The party left Canton at 7.18 p.m. yesterday and reached the Kowloon station at 10.56 o'clock when they were greeted by a large gathering of Chinese and foreign friends.

It is reported that General Wu and Mayor Tseng to-day will call on Sir Geoffry Northcote, who paid an unofficial visit to Canton last month. The two Chinese officials' present visit to Hongkong is understood to be a courtesy return call.

During their stay in the Colony, it is also reported, General Wu and Mayor Tseng will pay their respects to the dead in the Kweilin disaster, and will also visit various Chinese charity and patriotic organisations to which General Wu will convey hearty acknowledgment from the Kwangtung people for their valuable and generous contribution to the [illegible] during the past few years.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY PROBABLE DEFENCE

Gunman Might Be Taken For Hines

New York, Aug. 30.

The trial of J. J. Hines, former "Tammany" leader whom the State is endeavouring to impeach on corruption charges, may take an unexpected turn to-day.

Mr. J. Stryker, Counsel for Hines, is expected to try and prove that the defendant is a victim of mistaken identity and that witnesses have been confusing him with benign-looking Larry Carney, who was the "trigger-man" or expert killer employed by the "Dutch" Schultz gang, and who was known as "the Deacon."

Carney allegedly fought beside Schultz in the biggest gang battle in New York's history in January, 1931, when both were severely wounded.—*Reuter.*

PILING UP EVIDENCE

New York, Aug. 31.

Shortly after the resumption of the Hines trial to-day, John F. Curry, former "Tammany" political boss, testified that Hines had aided him to become a "Tammany" leader.

Hines, he declared in evidence, had enlisted his help in re-electing former District Attorney Dodge.

Later, through Curry, Hines arranged to transfer between 25 and 50 police assignments per annum.

Earlier, several policemen testified that they had been transferred after "Dutch" Schultz, the "Beer Baron" gangster, had threatened that they would be transferred for taking part in raids on his lottery office.—*United Press.*

SENSATIONAL EVIDENCE

New York, Aug. 30.

John F. Curry, former "Tammany" leader, was called as a surprise witness in the Hines trial to-day.

He caused a sensation when he alleged that Hines in 1933 requested the nomination of Dodge as District Attorney. Dodge—predecessor of the District Attorney who is now conducting the case against Hines—was elected.

Curry admitted that between 1929 and 1934, while he was leader at Tammany Hall, he several times asked the Police Commissioner to change the assignments of various police constables and detectives. Curry said he did this whenever requested to do so by a Tammany district leader. Of the latter, Hines was the most powerful.

The Commissioner of Police invariably complied with his requests.—*Reuter.*

GERMANY PLUNGED IN GLOOM

Berlin Believes Britain Siding With Czechs

Berlin, Aug. 30.

The mood of pessimism noted in German circles just now has, if anything, deepened by the news of the emergency meeting of the British Cabinet, which is regarded as confirming the view that the British Government has sided with the Czechs.

"Before we can express an opinion, however, we must see what Dr. Edouard Benes is offering the Sudetens," one authority told *Reuter.*

"The situation is ripe for a solution of the problem," he added.

Dr. Goebbels' newspaper, *Der Angriff*, shoulders the burden of the German anti-Czech campaign with a tirade more fierce than ever, while the tone adopted by other newspapers is noticeably less violent.

Der Angriff's London Correspondent reports that the British Ambassador, Sir Nevile Henderson, will, on his return to Berlin, present a statement to the Foreign Office which the British Cabinet has approved.

Meanwhile, the Press attacks on Britain are less violent but are still in evidence.—*Reuter.*

Garbage Can Blast "Rocks" Budapest

Budapest, Aug. 30.

Budapest is laughing uproariously at the "attempted assassination of Dr. Horthy" story.

The harmless explosion of a garbage can near the former Royal Palace resulted in the rumours of an assassination attempt being spread. By the time the rumours reached other capitals the explosion had become one that rocked Budapest."—*United Press.*

BRITISH CABINET SILENT

Nothing To Add To Simon's Last Statement

While Hope Of Peace Exists

London, Aug. 30.

It is understood that after Sir John Simon's speech on Saturday, to-day's *communique* by the British Government will make no further statement, as long as there is any chance of achieving a settlement of the Czech problem.

Reuter is informed that the Government still hopes and believes that such a chance exists, but it depends, firstly, on the extent and reality of the concessions the Czech Government is making"or is prepared to make, and, secondly, on the extent and nature of the influence exerted from outside on the Sudeten-Germans, and on the spirit with which the Sudetens meet the Czech Government proposals.

There is no tendency in London to minimize or exaggerate the gravity of the decisions which have to be taken in the immediate future by both sides in Czecho-Slovakia and by their friends outside.

It has been observed with satisfaction in London that the self-defence order issued by the Sudeten leaders to their followers during the week-end does not appear to have been followed by any appreciable relaxation of discipline.

On the Czech side it is confidently expected that the Prague Government will do its utmost to avoid incidents.

It is understood that the British Ambassador to Berlin, Sir Neville Henderson, will return to Germany to-morrow.—*Reuter.*

Chamberlain Goes To Balmoral

London, Aug. 30.

The Prime Minister left Downing Street for Balmoral Castle this afternon, taking his fishing rods in his own car, while a second car carried his baggage.

A crowd of about 50 people gathered outside No. 10 Downing Street to watch Mr. Chamberlain's departure.

Mr. Chamberlain is taking up the duty of Minister in attendance to the King at Balmoral Castle.—*Reuter.*

Pleads For Restoration Of Peace

Rangoon Governor Makes Appeal; New Riots In Mandalay

Rangoon, Aug. 30.

At a meeting with leaders of all political shades to-day the Governor, Commander A. D. Cochrane, appealed for immediate action to restore good relations between the different communities.

In Mandalay, where there has been a fresh outbreak of trouble, the police, who were heavily reinforced recently, were forced to open fire on the rioters.

Two Buddhist monks were wounded.—*Reuter.*

HONGKONG-HANKOW AIR MAIL RESUMING

Hankow, Aug. 30.

To maintain communication between Hankow and Hongkong, the Ministry of Communications has instructed the Eurasia Aviation Corporation to resume air mail service between here and the British Colony beginning to-day.

According to tentative arrangements, a small plane will leave Hankow for Hongkong and return every other day, carrying only mails and no passengers.

In the meantime, the resumption of passenger service on the Hankow-Hongkong line is still being discussed and it is expected that the service may be resumed in a few days.—*Central News.*

CELEBRATING QUEEN'S ASCENSION SEPT. 6

In connection with the 40th anniversary of Queen Wilhelmina's Ascension to the Throne of the Netherlands, on August 29, and her 58th birthday which falls to-day, it is learned from the consulate in Hongkong that local observances will be held on September 6.

(Continued on Page 4.)

RADIO BROADCAST

Wing-Comdr. Steele-Perkins On "Black Out"

MOZART SYMPHONY

Radio Programme Broadcast by Z.B.W. on a Frequency of 845 k.c's. and on Short Wave from 1-2.15 p.m. and 8-11 p.m. on 9.52 m.c's. per second.

6.00 Delius—Sea Drift.

Sung by John Brownlee (Baritone), and London Select Choir with the London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham, Bart.

6.27 Egon Petri at the Piano.

Indianisches Tagebuch (Busoni).

6.37 Ravel — Introduction and Allegro For Harp with String and Woodwind Accompaniment and La Valse.

Introduction And Allegro For Harp with Strings And Woodwind Accompaniment....Virtuoso String Quartet with J. Cockerill, R. Murchie and C. Draper; La Valse....Orchestre De La Societe Des Concerts Du Conservatoire, Paris Conducted by Philippe Gaubert.

7.07 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.10 Variety and Dance Music.

Quickstep—You Can't Stop Me From Dreaming; Fox-Trot—Silvery Moon And Golden Sands....Henry Jacques and His Correct Dance Tempo Orchestra; Vocal—What Now? (From 'Big Business'); An Hour Ago This Minute (From 'Big Business')....Gertrude Lawrence (Soprano) with Orchestra; Fox-Trot Intermezzos—Sunny Days; Chorus Of The Clocks....Otto Dobrindt And His Piano Symphonists; Vocal—Stardust (H. Carmichael)....The Radio Three with Their Rhythmic Escorts; Fox-Trots—Stranger In A Cup Of Tea (From 'Crazy Days'); Love Was Born....Billy Mayerl and His Orchestra with vocal refrain by Fred Conyngham; Comedy Fox-Trots—I'm A Little Prairie Flower; Waltz—The Girl In The Hansom Cab....Jack Harris and His Orchestra, Vocalist: Elsie Carlisle; Vocal—Le Chaland Qui Passe (de Badet and Bixio); J'Aime Tes Grands Yeux (Tranchant and Bixio)....Lys Gauty with Orchestra; Fox-Trots—Old Man Moon (From 'Topper'); Foolin' Myself....Harry Roy and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Vocal—I Heard (Don Redman).....The Four Crotchets (Vocal Quartette) with Guitar; Fox-Trot—Goodnight To You All.....George Elrick and His Swing Music Makers.

8.00 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 A Scottish Programme.

There's A Wee Bit Land (J. C. Grieve)....Laidlaw Murray (Barltone) with Orchestra; Bacca Pipes (Arr. Cecil J. Sharp)....Elsie Avril and Everal de Jersey (Violin and Piano); Songs Of The Hebrides—Kishmul's Galley (M. Kennedy-Fraser)....Muriel Brunskill (Contralto) with Piano; The Road To The Isles ("Songs of the Hebrides"—Kennedy-Fraser ....Stuart Robertson (Bass-Baritone) with Piano accomp. by Herbert Dawson; Scottish Melodies (Arr. A. Moffat); Intro:—Annie Laurie; Inverness Gathering Reel....Florence Macbride (Violin Solo) with Piano; The Bonnie, Bonnie Banks O' Loch Lomond (Traditional).....Dora Labbette (Soprano) with Piano.

8.25 Studio—Wing-Comdr. Steele-Perkins, A. R. P. Officer On The Forthcoming "Black Out."

8.40 Concert Waltzes.

Waldeslust, Waltzer (Arr. W. Schlesinger); Wiener Prater Leben, Walzer (S. Translateur)....Columbia Salon Orchester; Greetings Of Spring—Waltz (Schwartz); Love Of A Gypsy—Waltz (Schwartz) ....Russian Novelty Orchestra; Voices Of Spring—Waltz (J. Strauss)....Ferdy Kauffman and His Orchestra; Over The Waves—Waltz (Roses—Arr. Hohne)....Russian Novelty Orchestra.

9.00 Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends with Elsie Carlisle.

The Charm School—Selection; Intro:—You Hit the Spot; I feel like a Feather in the breeze....Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends; A Couple Of April Fools (Kennedy and Carr); If You Love Me (Ray Noble)....Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends; Conversation For Two (Mysels, Huestson, Emmerich); Star Gazing (Symes, Nelburg, Levinson)....Elsie Carlisle with Orchestral Accompaniment; Moonbeams Dance (Carroll Gibbons) ....Carroll Gibbons (Piano Solo); So Many Memories (Woods)...Elsie Carlisle; Remember? (Carroll Gibbons Looks Back); Intro:—You forgot to remember; My heart stood still; I'll see you again; My blue Heaven; Can't help Lovin' That man; This Year's Kisses....Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends; To-morrow Is Another Day (From 'A Day at the Races')....Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

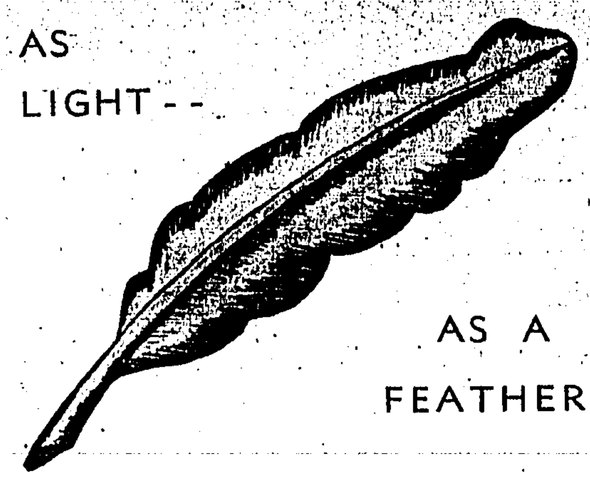
9.50 Light Opera Selections.

"The Quaker Girl"—Vocal Gems (Monckton); Intro:—Opening Chorus; A Quaker Girl; A Dancing Lesson; Valse Lente; Entrance of Quakers; Barbizon; Tip-toe; Tony From America; O, Time, Time; Mr. Jeremiah; Esquire; Couleur de Rose; Come to the Ball....Light Opera Company; "Dollar Princess"—Medley (Fall)...Nat Shilkret and His Orchestra; Countess Maritza—Selection (Kalman)....Grand Symphony Orchestra with Ilse Wald (Soprano) and Hans Clemens (Tenor).

10.15 Dance Music.

Fox-Trots—Keep A Twinkle In Your Eye (From 'Blackbirds of 1936'); Your Heart And Mine (From 'Blackbirds of 1936')....Jack Harris and His Orchestra; Fox-Trot—Please Believe Me; Poor Little Angeline....Mantovani and His Tipica Orchestra with vocal chorus; Slow Fox-Trot—These Foolish Things (From 'Spread It Abroad'); Fox-Trot—I'm Building

AS LIGHT -- AS A FEATHER



These Summer Pyjamas are made from light-weight cotton fabric, perforated for extra coolness. They are fully cut to prevent dragging and have lastex girdles.

$8.50

Blue
Beige
White
Yellow

Less 10% discount for cash.

MACKINTOSH'S LTD.

$1 TIFFINS at— Jimmy's

Also A la Carte

China Bldg., Hongkong. Hankow Rd., Kowloon.

Get the world's good news daily through THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR

An International Daily Newspaper

Published by THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE PUBLISHING SOCIETY

One, Norway Street, Boston, Massachusetts

Regular reading of **The Christian Science Monitor** is considered by many a liberal education. Its clean, unbiased news and well-rounded editorial features, including the Weekly Magazine Section, make the **Monitor** the ideal newspaper for the home. The prices are: (U.S. money)

1 year $12.00 6 months $6.00 3 months $3.00 1 month $1.00
Wednesday issue, including Magazine Section: 1 year $2.00, 6 issues 25c and the paper is obtainable at the following location:

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM

Room 606, Bank of East Asia Bldg.
10 Des Voeux Road Central

Columbia

LATEST SUCCESSES FROM LONDON

FB1971—Goldwyn Follies. Selection ..... Louis Levy & British Gaumont Orch.

FB1972—Love Walked in ..... Carroll Gibbons & Savoy Orpheans.
Love is Here to Stay
(BOTH FROM GOLDWYN FOLLIES)

FB1973—My Heaven on Earth ..... Mantovani & Orch.
Let's Sail to Dreamland.

FB1974—Shadows on the Moon ..... Henry Hall & Orch.
(GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST)
Cry Baby Cry.

FB1975—Who Stole the Jam ..... The Six Swingers.
Park Lane Strut.

FB1980—Oh Ma Ma ..... Ray Ventura & Orch.
Chocolate Soldier's Daughter.

FB1907—Around the Danube ..... Albert Sandler & Orch.
Dorna Voda. (Roumanian Gipsy Dance).

FB1976—Somebody's Thinking of You To-night ..... George Elrick & Orch.
OOOO-oh Boom.

FB1981—Trinia. Paso Doblo ..... Manolo Bel & His Muchachas.
Maria Magdalena.

THE ANDERSON MUSIC CO., LTD.

PHONE 21322 ICE HOUSE STREET.

Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Investment Bankers and Brokers in Securities and Commodities

Daily New York and London Stock Exchange Service
Commodity Futures on the principal American markets

Members of

New York Cotton Exchange
Chicago Board of Trade
Winnipeg Grain Exchange
Commodity Exchange, Inc., New York
Canadian Commodity Exchange, Inc., Montreal
New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange
Manila Stock Exchange.

Correspondents for

Hayden, Stone & Co., New York and Boston
J. E. Swan & Co., New York

Telephone 30243 ..... *Cable Address* SWANSTOCK

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building, Hongkong

Offices: Shanghai, Manila and Singapore

TSUI YUN-PUI FULLY EXTENDED BY C. K. CHAN

SPLENDID MATCH IN HARDCOURT TENNIS TOURNEY

LEE WAI-TONG, CRAWFORD UNABLE TO COMPLETE TIE

(By "Veritas")

Driving ferociously on the forehand, Tsui Yun-pui and C. K. Chan yesterday indulged in what is likely to be the quickest tempo match in the current hardcourt tennis championships. Tsui ultimately won 6-4, 4-6, 6-2, but even if he advances through the remaining four rounds of the tournament, it is not likely that he will meet with stiffer opposition.

Chan, former Kwangtung representative in China National Meetings, had two spells yesterday when he literally scintillated. Unfortunately for him he could not sustain them sufficiently to make victory his. But it was a grand match to watch, and most certainly added much-needed lustre to the day's programme, which otherwise produced disappointing standards of play.

Chan had a great chance of winning the opening set, when he went to a 3-1 lead while Tsui was still endeavouring to find control. But Chan failed to consolidate on his own service and Tsui, getting into his stride, and finding Chan quick to react to the adverse run of play, finally clinched the set at 6-4.

The feature of this set was the splendid forehand driving of both players. Chan was especially devastating on this hand, and whenever he could manoeuvre for the right shot, usually aced, or forced Tsui into an error with a terrifically fast and deep drive to the backhand corner.

TSUI'S ADVANTAGE

Comparatively speaking Chan's backhand was purely defensive, and it was here that Tsui had a decided edge over the Canton man. Tsui clipped the lines with beautifully made backhanders while Chan, generally speaking, had to rest content with a straightforward return to his ready and waiting opponent.

Another shortcoming in the loser's play was his volleying. He did not score with enough consistency from the forecourt, sometimes being in two minds about the stroke he should make, with unhappy results. Tsui, although not such a guy attacker, was discreet in his net advances, and because of this, plus the fact that he knew precisely what to do with the ball, made his forecourt work a decided asset.

Chan leapt into dazzling form in the second set, running away with a lead of four-love, the outcome of a steady stream of whipping forehand drives, a few neat volleying sorties and some decisive overhead work. This was Chan's brightest period and he was a delight to watch. Tsui was nonplussed, but in the fifth game he recovered, and actually forced the issue to the tenth game before conceding the set.

The effort appeared to take a lot out of Chan, while the subsequent play suggested the reverse had served only to stiffen Tsui's endeavours. Anyway, mainly through a series of inexcusable nettings by Chan, the Hongkong player went into a five-love lead, and looked as though he would win the set without conceding a game. Chan, however, playing desperately, and regaining accuracy off the ground, squeezed two games out of Tsui before conceding the match on an error.

A SPEED THEME

Speed was the theme of the encounter which thus made it an exciting spectacle for the onlookers. Tsui deserved to win because he played with more purpose than the loser. Nevertheless Chan nearly battered down his defences with those raking forehanders, and if his backhand had been half as attacking, he might well have reversed the result.

On another court Lee Wai-tong and A. Crawford played a marathon match, which, in comparison to the Tsui-Chan game, was purely pat-ball. I could not help thinking it was Crawford's own fault that he did not win, instead of sharing two sets and thus necessitating a replay.

After he had won the first set by wary tactics, which were quite commendable as they gave him a chance to get his strokes in working order, Crawford made the supreme blunder of continuing along the same lines. In fact he became more and more defensive as the match progressed. This suited Lee up to the hilt, for it permitted him to dictate the terms. He had Crawford guessing with his drop shots, which, though cleverly made, should not have reaped such a rich reward on a hardcourt.

Crawford seemed foot-weary after the first set and was only happy when the ball was being driven to the baseline. Lee realised this and kept everything as short as possible. Nevertheless Crawford could have changed the conditions had he wished. He did not attack, and when it come to pure defensive tennis, Lee was always more likely to outlast him. The K.C.C. player had nothing to lose by forcing the exchanges after winning the first set. Instead he agreed to play Lee's wailing game, and thereby lost his chance.

One admired Lee for his fine consistency in returning the ball and his subtleties in mixing pace, direction and flight. He had Crawford outgeneralled practically the whole of the second set, and ran the youngster off his feet with adroit placements.

Crawford played the right kind of tennis in the first set, when he guardedly felt his way about a strange court, but having mastered its pace, he should have pressed Lee for all his worth. Choosing a baseline game was a tactical blunder which brought its own punishment.

The full results of the afternoon's matches follow.

SINGLES

Tsui Yun-pui beat C. K. Chan 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.

Lee Kam-ming beat K. K. Fung 6-4, 9-7.

Peter U beat J. F. L. Smalley 6-3 6-3.

Bick Szeto beat S. S. Leong 6-2, 6-3.

A. Crawford and Lee Wai-tong 6-4, 9-11 (unfinished).

DOUBLES

Pang Oi-lam and Mok Fuk-in beat H. W. Lee and S. W. Liang 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following is the programme to-day:

SINGLES

P. Kong v. H. D. Rumjahn.
Tsui Wai-pui v. Pang Oi-lam.
I. Agafuroff v. S. A. Rumjahn.

DOUBLES

E. E. Storey and J. J. Ferguson v. A. Chan and J. Hsu.
G. E. R. Divett and G. W. Sewell v. D. S. Sze and F. Cross.

WM. Sykes LTD
BRITAINS SPORTS SPECIALISTS

"FLIGHT COMMANDER"
BADMINTON RACKETS
ARE USED BY ALL THE
CHAMPIONS IN MALAYA

THE BADMINTON CENTRE OF THE EAST

STOCKED BY
Lane, Crawford, Ltd. China Sports
China Emporium International Sports

SOLE AGENTS
DENIS H. HAZELL & CO., Marina House.
(Denis H. Hazell, Eastern Director, WM. SYKES, LTD.)

The success of Joe Louis, the heavyweight boxing champion of the world, has often been attributed to the guiding genius of Jack Blackburn, his manager. It is said that the famous old lightweight does just about everything but fight for the negro champion.

As I See Sport — By "Abe"

BARTLETT'S 100 SECOND FASTEST IN FIVE YEARS

Should Give Him Lawrence Trophy For 1938 Season

WITH his century, scored in 57 minutes, against the Australian cricket tourists, H. T. Bartlett, the former Cambridge captain now playing for Sussex, is almost certain of winning the Lawrence Trophy, presented in 1934 by Sir Walter Lawrence for the quickest hundred of the season. In the first year, Frank Woolley won it with a century for Kent against Northamptonshire in 63 minutes; in 1935, it was won by Harold Gimblett, who scored his hundred for Somerset against Essex at Frome, also in 63 minutes; in 1936, Leslie Ames had the quickest hundred playing for an England eleven against India at Folkestone in 68 minutes; and last year, Joe Hardstaff, of Notts, had the fastest century of all when he reached three figures at Canterbury against Kent in 51 minutes. Bartlett's time, therefore, is the second fastest since the trophy was put up for competition. Two months ago, Don Bradman, the Australian captain, scored a hundred in 73 minutes; but recently E. R. T. Holmes, the Surrey captain, beat him by eight minutes, taking only 65 minutes for his century against Sussex. During the present season, however, a schoolboy, R. B. Proud, captain of Winchester College, scored the fastest century recorded this summer when he made 100 in 48 minutes for the Rest against the Lord's Schools at Lord's; but his innings does not qualify for the Lawrence Trophy as it was not scored in first-class cricket.

Great Hitter

A LEFT-HANDED bat, Hugh Bartlett is regarded as one of the greatest hitters in the game to-day. Playing for the Gentlemen against the Players at Lord's in mid-July, he played an innings which will long be remembered. Tall and loose-limbed, he is a bad starter, but when set drives a very long ball, using his wrists as well as his arms and shoulders. Of him the special correspondent of *The Cricketer*, in reporting this match, said, "He is indeed a magnificent left-handed hitter with immense range and power of strokes. I do not recall even a Jessop treating professional bowling quite so roughly as he did in this innings (he made 175 not out). He hit 24 fours and four sixes, and was at the wicket exactly three hours. He gave only one chance—a difficult one, high and going away fast—to third slip, off Smailes, when 52. His sixes sailed immense distances—two on to the roof of the grandstand—and two far up the Mound. But perhaps the finest of all his strokes was a straight drive off Smailes which went first bounce over the rails at amazing speed. In one over of Peter Smith, he hit two sixes and four four's. Bartlett is only 23, and was one of seven Cambridge Blues playing for the Gentlemen."

(Continued on Next Column.)

Highest Innings

INCIDENTALLY the 453 scored by Sussex in the match is the highest put up by any county side against the Australians during the present tour. Previously the 377 scored by Kent at Canterbury in the second innings was the best. Apart from Bartlett, Cox contributed 76, James Langridge 68 and Stainton 68. All the Australian bowlers were badly punished, F. A. Ward with six for 184 being the most successful with White's three for 75 next in line. It is significant, though that both O'Reilly and Fleetwood Smith, the Australians' best bowlers, were not playing. And no wonder! These two bowlers were given such a gruelling time by the English Test team at the Oval that they must be badly in need of a rest. McCormick, who did not play in the Fifth Test, conceded 86 runs without taking a wicket.

Woolley Says "No"

FRANK WOOLLEY, the Kent and England cricketer, has now put an end to persistent rumours that he was thinking of playing for Kent again next season. He is wise to go while his batting retains so much of its old glory, instead of waiting on till it is on its decline. It would, in any case, be rather difficult for Woolley to go on in view of the farewell demonstrations he has been given up and down the country. At the Oval recently, E. R. T. Holmes, the Surrey captain, collected the Surrey players round Woolley to give a round of cheers when he finished his last innings on that ground. Tonbridge, where he was born, and Tunbridge Wells have said good-bye to him. Unlike some singers, a cricketer can make only one farewell tour.

John Cobb Now After Capt. Eyston's Mark

Bonneville Flats, Utah, Aug. 30.

John Cobb, the British racing driver, had two runs to-day in an attempt to break Capt. George Eyston's newly-established world land speed record in a Railton car.

His time was not officially given but Cobb was unofficially timed at 300 miles per hour in his first run and 325 in his second.—*Reuter's Special.*

South African Tour Rumour Premature

London, Aug. 12.

"The announcement is premature," stated an official of the Football Association in regard to a report that the F.A. are sending a team to tour South Africa at the end of the coming football season.

He added: "We are awaiting a communication from South Africa, upon receipt of which the question will be decided by our committees and council. Negotiations with the South African authorities are still in progress."

LOCKE DEFEATS PADGHAM

£100 A SIDE GOLF MATCH

London, Aug. 15.

A. D. Locke, the brilliant young South African golfer, beat A. H. Padgham, former Open champion, by two holes in their 36 holes challenge match for £100 a side, on the Selsdon Park Club's course yesterday.

Locke generally played the steadier golf, but it was not until the sixteenth hole of the evening round that he was able to lead.

A crowd of 2,000 people followed the play, but they were not always fully under control and in the excitement of the rush in the afternoon nobody could say that Locke's ball, at the eighteenth hole, was not trodden on.

Again, at the fourth in the second round, Locke drove to the top of a bunker and in the crowd's haste a man accidentally kicked the ball into the hazard. On consultation and with Padgham in agreement, the ball was replaced on the top of the bunker.

Both players went round in 68 in the afternoon, and in the evening Locke took 67 to Padgham's 69.

DIEGEL INJURED

Toronto, Aug. 15.

Leo Diegel, the American golfer, was struck by a car and badly injured at Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday.

He was taken to hospital suffering from severe head injuries, face lacerations, and possible fractures of the skull and left thumb.

Born in 1890, Diegel was the American professional champion in 1928 and 1929 and has won the Canadian Open championship four times.

He was second to Bobby Jones in 1930 in the British Open at Hoylake, being beaten by two strokes, and was third to Walter Hagen in 1929.

YORKSHIRE RETAIN COUNTY CRICKET CHAMPIONSHIP

Middlesex Fail In Fixture Against Surrey At Lord's

London, Aug. 30.

As a result of Middlesex's defeat on first innings by Surrey at Lord's to-day, Yorkshire have retained the County Cricket Championship. Yorkshire have one more match to play, against Sussex at Hove, but the result does not affect the championship as, assuming that Yorkshire are beaten, they will finish ahead of Middlesex.

In reply to Middlesex's score of 241, Surrey made 396, thanks to 129 by R. J. Gregory and 116 by H. S. Squires.

At Hove, the Australians drew with Sussex. Against Sussex's total of 453, the tourists made 300.

MIDDLESEX v. SURREY

At Lord's, Surrey beat Middlesex on first innings.

Middlesex scored 241 in their first innings, to which Surrey replied with 396, Gregory contributing 129 and Squires 116. I. A. R. Peebles took six wickets for 76 runs.

In their second knock, Middlesex scored 183 for eight wickets.

LANCASHIRE v. WARWICKSHIRE

At Blackpool, Lancashire beat Warwickshire on first innings.

Lancashire hit up 338 for seven wickets declared in their first innings, top-scorer being Hopwood with 120.

Warwickshire replied with 321, Wilkinson taking five wickets for 79.

In their second innings, Lancashire declared at 152 for seven, and Warwickshire had scored 81 for two wickets when stumps were drawn.

WORCESTERSHIRE v. NORTHANTS

At Worcester, Worcestershire defeated Northants by two wickets.

Northants scored 200 and 140 (Howorth 5 for 51), while Worcestershire made 104 (Timms 6 for 18) and 237 for eight wickets.

HAMPSHIRE v. NOTTS

At Bournemouth, Nottinghamshire defeated Hampshire by 167 runs.

Notts scored 203 (Boyes 5 for 56) and 349 (G. F. H. Heane 106 not out, Heath 5 for 78), and Hampshire replied with 310 and 75.

SUSSEX v. AUSTRALIANS

At Hove, the match between Sussex and the Australians was drawn.

In answer to Sussex's first innings total of 453, the tourists scored 300, Badcock making 56, Barnett 53 and Hassett 56. H. E. Hammond took five wickets for 107 for Sussex.

In their second innings, Sussex had made 53 for two wickets when stumps were drawn.

Walker, the Australian wicket-keeper, who injured a finger yesterday, had his finger X-rayed to-day and a bone was found to be chipped. He pluckily insisted on batting and scored two not out.—*Reuter.*

SHUTE TWINS MAY BECOME THE SECOND RENSHAWS, SAYS WALLIS MYERS

Create Record In Winning Public Schools' Doubles

The full story of how the Shute twins, Kenneth and Warwick, former competitors in the Colony tennis championships, won the Public Schools' Doubles Tennis Championship of England, and at the same time established a new record, is now to hand.

The Shute boys amazed everybody by going through the tourney without losing a set, and finally winning the final by 6-0, 6-0. They beat the Charterhouse pair J. Michelmore and D. N. Cobbold in the ultimate round.

Mr. A. Wallis Myers, commenting on the match in the *Daily Telegraph* said: "Another record was established when the twin brothers Shute of King's, Rochester, won the doubles final in two love sets. They were in a class above the Charterhouse pair, Michelmore and Cobbold, scoring freely all round the court with aggressive strokes and punishing almost every lob. Their fearless union, supported by sound temperament, suggested that the line of twin pairs, made famous by the Renshaws, Baddeleys and Allens, might be restored."

Kenneth Shute almost made a great effort to win the singles, surviving five rounds to the semi-final, where he was beaten by the eventual champion, G. L. Palsh.

Warwick also advanced through two rounds, and then fell a victim to Palsh, who subsequently became his brother's conqueror.

DETAILED SCORES

The detailed scores of the twins' progress in the doubles cannot be given complete. However, in the third round they beat A. and E. B. Dawes 6-3, 6-2, in the fourth round they beat Tufnnell and M. W. H. Calvert 6-1, 6-0, and in the semi-final they beat D. W. and R. H. Emmett 6-1, 6-2.

Kenneth Shute's successes in the singles were as follows: 1st round, beat R. M. Shepard 6-0, 6-0; 2nd round, beat V. Dive 3-6, 6-1, 6-0; 3rd round, beat J. L. Whitmore 6-2, 6-1; 4th round, beat W. O. Weyman 6-2, 7-5; 5th round, beat N. D. N. Cobbold 6-2, 6-1; semi-final lost to G. L. Palsh 4-6, 3-6.

Warwick's singles progress was: 1st round, beat R. Galsford 6-1, 6-2; 2nd round, beat D. J. MacCallen 5-7, 6-1; 3rd round, lost to G. L. Palsh 6-4, 2-6, 4-6.

Hendren May Coach At Nottingham

London, Aug. 15.

Hendren is mentioned as the next likely coach at Trent Bridge, to be vacant through James Iremonger retiring at the end of the summer.

"Patsy" is a candidate, along with Alan Fairfax, the Australian Test player.

Iremonger has done great things for Notts cricket, apart from the valuable work he put in when Larwood and Voce came under his care as raw youngsters.

HOME SOCCER RESULTS

London, Aug. 30.

The following are the results of matches played in the English Football League to-day:

SECOND DIVISION

Burnley 2 Southampton 1

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bristol R. 0 Brighton 1

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Rochdale 2 Carlisle 3

—*Reuter.*

ARMSTRONG TO FIGHT GARCIA ON NOVEMBER 2

New York, Aug. 30.

Mike Jacobs, the boxing promoter, announced to-day that Henry Armstrong, the triple champion, will meet Ceferino Garcia, of the Philippines, in a welterweight title bout on November 2.

The terms for the fight will be announced later.—*United Press.*

A DENTIST PREPARED THIS Special TOOTHPASTE to avoid the dangers of PYORRHEA

4 out of 5 adults have Pyorrhea—diseased gums. That's why dentists say "don't just clean your teeth. That is only half the job. Guard gums, too, with FORHAN'S."

Forhan's is the original dentifrice for teeth and gums. Only Forhan's contains Dr. Forhan's famous Astringent which protects the gums, guarding them against infection. Get the double protection of Forhan's, have beautiful, white teeth—have sound healthy gums. Buy a tube today.

Forhan's

FOR BOTH GUMS Cleans Teeth • Saves Gums

The Original Toothpaste for both TEETH AND GUMS Formula of Dr. R. J. Forhan

MULLER, MACLEAN & CO., INC.
French Bank Bldg.,
Hongkong, China.

LOCKE WINS IRISH OPEN TITLE

Only Man to Break 70, He Beats Cotton By a Single Stroke

London, July 22.

A. Locke, whose high hopes of taking back with him to South Africa our major golfing title were blown sky-high in Sandwich's summer gale, had consolation when he won the Irish Open Championship at Portmarnock yesterday.

Playing the final 36 holes in 139 (69 and 70)—a magnificent performance—he beat Henry Cotton by one stroke and, since he was the only competitor in any of the four rounds to break 70, he collected for himself the additional prize of £200 offered for division among those who accomplished that feat.

Cotton was three strokes ahead of Locke at the end of the third round and, as the South African was playing ahead of him, he set on his last journey knowing exactly what he had to do to win.

Actually he went out in 34 to Locke's 36 and so led by 5 strokes, but his troubles began at the 11th hole and, one by one, his advantage disappeared.

He had played the first ten holes in 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 3 4. Three puts at the 11th gave him his first 5, he visited a bunker at the 13th and had another 5 and then three-putted on the 15th green. Worse still, he finished in 5 5 5 against 4 4 4 by Locke.

Reaching the last green with two fine shots he seemed set for a 4, which would have meant a replay, but putted 4ft. short and then missed his second—his third three-putting lapse.

It was the later holes which had beaten Cotton in the third round, for he went out then in 33, but had a 6 at the 10th and two 5's later. Locke, on the other hand, after turning in 34, made only one slip—a missed putt of 5ft.—on the homeward journey. On the last green he holed a putt of 10ft. for the four he needed to give him 69.

LEADING SCORES

A. D. Locke (S. Africa)	69	73	69	70—282
Hy. Cotton (Ashridge)	75	74	70	74—293
A. Lees (Dore)	72	74	76	74—296
D. J. Rees (Surbiton)	80	73	73	74—300
M. Faulkner (Leamington)	79	75	73	73—300
S. F. Brews (S. Africa)	75	78	74	74—301
H. Gadd (W. Cheshire)	79	76	75	72—302
J. Burton (Hillside)	74	76	73	79—302
W. Nolan (Portmarnock)	76	78	75	74—303
J. Druen (Muskerry)	76	76	79	73—304
P. J. Mahon (Dublin)	77	74	79	74—304
E. F. Hill (St. Mellons)	78	79	73	77—307
F. Bullock (Sonning)	76	76	78	75—307
E. W. Jarman (W. Lancs)	81	79	76	80—307
J. Adams (Liverpool)	75	75	82	75—307
W. Robertson (Cleethorpes)	78	79	78	74—308
S. Easterbrook (Knowle)	78	73	77	80—308
J. Burke (Lahinch)	76	77	76	80—309
P. Allias (Temple Newsam)	81	77	76	77—310
W. H. Davies (Wallasey)	76	76	79	77—310

It's nice to be a comedian like Joe E. Brown and make everybody happy. Here he is seen with Jane Wyman on one side and Barbara Pepper on the other in the new Columbia comedy, "Wide Open Faces," showing to-morrow at the King's Theatre.

GIANTS BEATEN AGAIN

Latest Results In U.S. Baseball

New York, Aug. 30.

New York Giants were beaten again to-day when they met the Pittsburgh Pirates in the National Baseball League, losing by seven runs to one. Cincinnati Reds scored a double victory over Brooklyn Dodgers.

In the American League, New York Yankees beat Detroit Tigers, St. Louis Browns beat Boston Red Sox, Cleveland Indians beat Philadelphia Athletics and Chicago White Sox beat Washington Senators.

Scores:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
New York	1	5	1
Pittsburgh	7	13	0
Brooklyn	4	11	1
Cincinnati	5	9	1
(Koy homered for the Dodgers and McCormick for the Reds).			
Brooklyn	4	5	2
Cincinnati	7	6	2
Boston	8	16	0
Chicago	1	5	0
Philadelphia	4	6	1
St. Louis	3	12	1
(Brack homered for the Phillies and Mize for the Cardinals).			
Philadelphia	7	10	2
St. Louis	8	15	2
(Ten innings were played).			

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit	1	5	0
New York	3	7	0
(Crosetti homered for the Yankees).			
St. Louis	9	12	2
Boston	5	11	3
(Cronin homered for the Red Sox).			
Cleveland	10	10	3
Philadelphia	8	12	0
(Heath homered twice and Campbell once for the Indians, and Chapman once for the Athletic).			
Chicago	3	7	1
Washington	2	6	2

—Reuter.

HOCKEY PRACTICE POSTPONED

The practice match, arranged for to-day on the Marina ground, for the Army hockey team to visit Singapore has been cancelled as the ground is unfit. The match will be played on Friday on the same ground at 5 p.m., the opposition to be provided by the Kumaon Rifles.

OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"The Squeaker" (King's Theatre, to-day).—Adequate entertainment is served up in this Edgar Wallace thriller. The cast is competent and the direction skilful, and whatever shortcomings this film has, they are certainly not due to the players nor the director. Edmund Lowe is starred.

"The Mystery of the Wax Museum" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—This film has been shown several times but loses nothing in the screening. Suspense and thrills are nicely blended, while technicolour adds to the enjoyment. Lionel Atwill, Fay Wray, Glenda Farrell and Frank McHugh head the cast.

"The Kid Comes Back" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—After his splendid work in "Kid Galahad" it is only natural that there should be a demand for Wayne Morris, and here he is in a story, which exploits his refreshing personality to the full.

"Charlie Chan on Broadway" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—There is always good value in a Charlie Chan picture. This one of the series is as entertaining as the rest of them.

"I Met My Love Again" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—Rather serious drama, young love falling out and coming together again. Joan Bennett and Henry Fonda are the principals.

EXCHANGE

Selling

T.T. London	1s. 2 7/8
Demand	1s. 2 7/8
T.T. Shanghai	170 nom.
T.T. Singapore	53 1/8
T.T. Japan	106 1/4
T.T. India	83 1/2
T.T. U.S.A.	30 3/4
T.T. Manila	60 3/4
T.T. Batavia	55 1/4
T.T. Bangkok	140 3/4
T.T. Saigon	109
T.T. France	10.95
T.T. Germany	75
T.T. Switzerland	131 1/2
T.T. Australia	1/0 1/8

Buying

4 m/s L/c London	1/3 1/8
4 m/c D/p do.	1/3.5/32
4 m/s L/c U.S.A.	30 5/8
4 m/s France	11.80
30 d/s India	84 3/4
U.S. Cross rate in London	4.85 1/8

OPIUM CARRIER CAPTURED

A fine of $200 with the alternative of three months' hard labour was imposed on Chan Man-hing, 58, widow, by Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy this morning, for being in possession of 10.5 taels of raw opium at Queen's Road East near Lee Tung Street.

Police-Sergeant H. Danbrowsky said the woman was arrested on information, and the opium was found fastened to her legs with rubber bands.

Tel. 28151.

INTRODUCING

"GRAHAM"

THE

VITAMIN BREAD

MADE FROM THE WHOLE WHEAT

Samples have been submitted to local medical men, and most favourable reports have been received.

Graham Bread for Energy

PLAIN 32 cts. per lb.

FRUIT 40 cts. per lb.

BAKERY DEPT.

LANE CRAWFORD'S

The House of Quality & Service

AT THE QUEEN'S THEATRE

The most unique stage attraction ever presented in Hong Kong

FOR A SHORT SEASON ONLY

COMMENCING TO-MORROW

Daily at 9.30 p.m.

GENERAL PLATOFF'S

WORLD FAMOUS SENSATIONAL

Don Cossack Choir

25 Marvellous Russian Singers & Dancers

Musical Director NICHOLAS KOSTRUKOFF

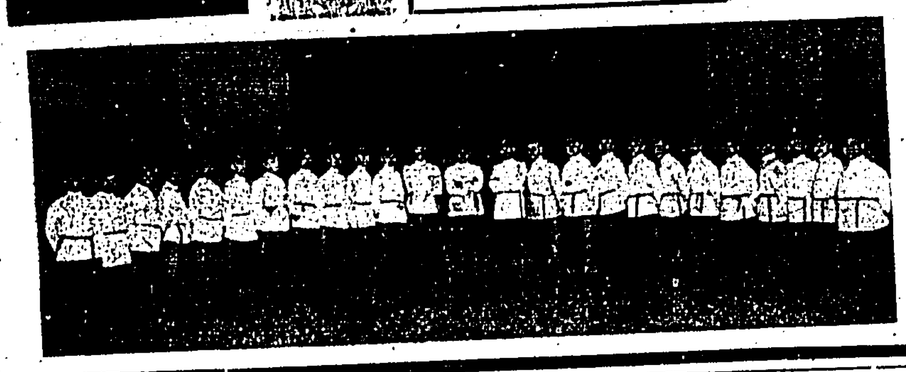
SENSATIONAL SWORD DANCER

Enormous Successes in Europe, South Africa, South America, New Zealand, Australia, Java, Sumatra, Malaya, Rangoon, India...

Soul Stirring Singing, Russian Songs, Legends and Lullabies, sung only as the Cossacks can sing them...

Prices of Admission:
$5.50, $4.40, $3.30, $2.20, $1.10

BE ADVISED—BOOK EARLY!



Here's Luck!

EWO BEER

You buy mostly water with old fashioned bottle cleaners.

White shoe cleaners in bottles are as old fashioned as the horse and buggy. To-day modern people, who want full value for their money, are using white shoe cleaner in tubes—KIWI.

With KIWI, you get all cleaner, a concentrated white that is always ready to use. There is none of the old bottle shaking, you use less water, the job is done quicker and with less mess and above all it is most economical. There are over 100 cleans in each tube of KIWI—enough for a season for two people.

GET A TUBE FOR THIS SUMMER NOW

KIWI White in TUBES

LASTS A SEASON

FOR CANVAS, BUCK & WHITE KID

W1982

DONALD DUCK An Unquenchable Thirst By Walt Disney

Summer Sale AT Rafael's To-day Only

The White House, 12 Des Voeux Rd. C.

Erich Maria Remarque's

THREE COMRADES

Synopsis: It is the period directly after the war. Erich, Koster and Lenz, three inseparable comrades, have opened a small auto repair shop. They meet the professor, Franz Breuer, one of the newly influential men in Germany. With him is Patricia Hollmann. Then, falling in love with Erich, she breaks off her "friendship" with Breuer. There are troublesome undertones, however, Lenz has been warned by the revolutionaries about his work with the patriotic group and has been forced to discontinue it. Too, Patricia is troubled by a lung ailment, a fact which Erich doesn't know. Despite this the two young people find happiness together.

Copyright 1938 by Loew's, Inc.

Adapted For M.G.M. By BEATRICE FABER

Chapter Five

Spring budded into flower and burst upon an unchanted world in a riot of color and fragrance. Pat was sitting in the repair shop one night, waiting for Erich who was out with the taxi. She sank back into the chair, her eyes misty.

Out of all the maelstrom that had beset a troubled world she and Erich had managed to snatch some joy. It didn't matter whether it would last or not. That was the way of love. Once it had happened, it could go on forever, if only as a memory. It was like immortal music, never to be forgotten.

Koster looked up from a bashed fender he was fixing. "Pat," he said abruptly, "let me give you Erich in a nutshell. No, let me finish. Ability to make a living, better than average. Honesty, ten percent off for South America but that leaves ninety. Spirit, all there is."

She jumped up and moved around restlessly. "Otto, you're telling me things I know."

"Then why don't you marry him? Oh, I know he hasn't asked you. He's scared. Why don't you ask him?" No answer. He hammered at the fender viciously. "It's each other you want Pat. Never mind about anything else. Half the trouble in the world comes from worrying about what might happen."

Her lips quivered. He was opening her mind, daring her to probe into things best kept hidden. "Please don't talk about it Otto."

He levelled the hammer at her. "I'll *tell* you what's the matter with you. You're scared of suffering, scared of joy because you're afraid you might lose it. But you've got to think of Erich now. You're being a coward, you're being selfish."

"That's not true," she said very quietly. She looked away. "I told you once I'd been very ill. I'm just patched up now. It will come back." A cry burst from her. "Otto, don't let me marry him. Erich would want a happiness that could last. A home, children — not a future that might vanish any day."

Koster grasped her elbows. "Live, Pat. Take the gamble. Stake your life against a love like yours and Erich's every time. You can only win. If it's an hour, Pat, you can only win."

She whispered. "I'd have to tell him — "

He shook her. "No. That's part of it. Don't make him afraid. Just make him happy. Play to the limit. Aim at the stars."

Walking to the window, she looked up at the twinkling sky. "Do you suppose they'd mind if we aimed at them?" Her smile was wan and wistful. "I was told once that the very nearest star is forty million miles away."

And so it happened that just a week later Alfons' Bar was closed to visitors for the afternoon. The shades had been drawn, the tables and chairs set back against the walls.

Standing before the Burgomaster with Pat, Erich was sure that there had never been a finer place for a wedding. His heart thudded rapidly as the ceremony began. "Dearly beloved — " Alfons wiping his eyes. Koster and Lenz wearing still smiles. The phonograph playing softly. Joined hands. Now the ring. Trembling, he gathered Pat into his arms and took the sweetness of her lips.

The Burgomaster was whispering aggrievedly. "Wait a minute. Now. I pronounce you man and wife."

Then everyone laughed and chattered a great deal to cover up all the unshed tears and finally, with the wedding luncheon eaten and the wedding wine drunk it was time to leave for their honeymoon destination.

At the door Koster stopped Erich for a moment. "Remember the happy life you were going to come back to from the war? You're starting on it now."

Erich's eyes shone. "I'm sure of that Otto."

Koster nodded and said huskily. "We'll see to it. All four of us will see to it."

Down the country road sped the taxi devouring the miles that led to the little seaside resort. "What does the meter read?" Erich asked.

"Three hundred and eighteen marks." She laughed delightedly. "But don't worry, I know the driver. He's a husband of mine." Then she pointed eagerly. "Erich, look. The sea. And there's the hotel. Oh, it can't be. It looks just like the postcards."

He twisted around to kiss her. "I'm glad. I wouldn't be able to bear all this if it was real..."

But if not reality, then the better to dream. Dream in the cool green water, dream under the moon and stars, dream under the blazing sun. Erich had thought he knew his world. But that had been another place. Now, each day, he made a new and glorious discovery. About Pat. About himself.

They were lying on the beach late one evening and Erich said happily, "That Burgomaster had such a nice way of putting things. 'For better or worse' was one of his phrases. In whatsis and whatsis, in sickness and health, till death do us part." She turned away from him and emptiness leaped into his heart. "There, you see? I was afraid of that. You're bored."

She was facing him instantly. "Darling, I'm not. Let's talk."

His face shadowed. "I don't know anything about books or about music."

She tweaked his ear. "I'll teach you. It's time you went to school."

A sudden savage fury came over him for that year he had lost. He could show *her* a few things, how to keep a machine gun from jamming and prove why it's better to shoot a man in the stomach than the head. Then her smoky blue eyes were full upon him and it seemed as if a clean wind had come up and blown all ugly things away. "Oh Pat, I'll teach you things too. How to swim and drive and climb mountains and — and play tennis."

Her laugh caressed him. "You see how much you know?"

He rolled over and looked down into her face. "But I never knew I did 'til now. I thought I belonged to what's dead and gone. I suddenly know I'm alive, Pat. With you, I'm alive."

"*We're* alive darling. And I'm glad." She cupped his face in her hands and said tinily, "But maybe I can't learn all those things. Maybe you're in love with — a fragment."

He drew her close. "A lovely fragment, if ever there was one."

"Oh Erich, I love you so," she whispered, and gave him a kiss that was all fire and flame.

Afterwards, he looked around dazedly and said, "I've just been kissed. Would you mind telling me which way is east and west?"

She laughed tremulously, then cocked her head to one side. "Listen. A cuckoo bird. I've been counting. For every time he calls you have that number of years to live. Twenty three, twenty four, twenty five — "

"Imagine," Erich had arisen and was brushing himself off. "It's our silver wedding. Our handsome son and heir has left college and refused to go to war. Thrown into jail for the rest of his life—"

"Lift me up, Erich."

He dropped down and caught her so that she hung by her arms. "No darling, turn your wrists the other way."

A lancing pain shot through her chest as she struggled to pull herself up. Her face twisted and suddenly she coughed. Weakly. Just once. Dropping to the sand, she landed in a peculiar sprawl, resembling a runner's crouch.

Erich burst into teasing laughter. "The idea is to go up, not down." He moved away. "All right, if that's what you want, I'll race you to the hotel and give you a good head start because I'm so hungry. Go!" She didn't move. "Go ahead Pat." But even as he spoke she coughed again, put her hand to her mouth and suddenly pitched forward. "Pat! What's the matter?"

Then the heavens seemed to split asunder and all the mighty gods of destruction descended. "Pat! Pat!" He cried, springing to her side. He gazed in horror. She was still and pale and there on the fine, white sand, spilled the very lifeblood from her throat, in an ever widening pool.

Each day he made a new discovery. About Pat. About himself.

Chapter Six

As if he were benumbed, Erich watched over Pat as she lay on the bed, a pack of cracked ice in a towel over her chest. Beside him stood the village doctor. "Is she all right? Is she better?" He breathed heavily, waiting for an answer that might send hope to his heart.

The Doctor countered. "Where was your wife being treated? Who is her doctor? Come, come, she must have had a doctor — for this — "

Faintly, Pat said, "Felix — Jaffe..."

"Professor Felix Jaffe? Young man, get in touch with him at once. No, I can't tell you anything definite now. She must stop bleeding first."

Renewed fear hit Erich like a hammer blow. Rushing to the phone, he put through a call to Koster. A moment later he returned and spoke to the still form on the bed. "Koster will find Jaffe. Now we'll be all right. We'll be fine now, Pat."

Her smile was rich with trust and gratitude. Salt stung his eyes. On one chair was her bathing suit and sport peignoir. There were her leather sandals on the floor. All of it, the costume of an outdoor, healthy woman. Lovely, precious Pat. She'd have to get well. "In sickness and in health — "

The Doctor's voice cut in. "You say your friend Koster will be here in two hours with Jaffe? And by automobile? But that's impossible. The way's full of bends and fog. It'll be three hours at the least."

Erich smiled twistedly. The Doctor didn't know "Baby," didn't know that she could do ninety-five when the need was there. He shivered. Well, tonight she'd be doing ninety-five. "Two hours Doctor," he said quietly, "that's all," and took up his tense vigil by the bed again.

The minutes dragged by, lengthened into an hour, an hour and a half, two hours. And from down the road there came the sound of a roaring motor.

Waiting in the hall with Erich as Jaffe made his examination, Koster inhaled deeply on a cigarette. Only his shaking fingers betrayed him. "Nice trip. Not bad. Only one patch of fog."

Erich paced the floor. "She never told me Otto, not a word." She had never thought of herself, just of making him happy. He threw out his hands like one seeking help. "Otto, nothing can ever happen to a girl like that."

Then the doctor was outside the door with some reassuring words. He motioned Erich to go into the bedroom.

"Very serious?" Koster asked the physician.

"I'll know more when she gets back to town. One thing is certain. She must go to a sanitarium in the Fall. By mid-October at the latest."

Koster nodded grimly. "She'll go." No need for Erich to know though, until the time came. There were enough shadows over the city now.

Sitting on the edge of Pat's bed, Erich said softly, "We'll never be afraid Pat. Of anything." She began to weep silently. "Don't cry about us Pat. We're not unhappy. And soon you'll be well and we'll all be the happier." Then he buried his face in her hands. "I love you Pat," he sobbed, "I love you. Get well for me."

And as if all the love and faith around her were a life-giving draught Pat found herself walking within a month. Walking slowly to be sure — but moving on her own two feet. Summer grew hotter and even the boys seemed to wilt. Then, with the first tang of autumn air, terror struck at Pat's breast. Any day now she would have to leave. Mutinously, she closed her lips over the word "sanitarium" and stayed on.

Regally ensconced in a pillowed chair one night before the dinner table she listened to the boys' account of a street brawl they had been drawn into that day. It had all come about over a towing job. The owner had put his car in their hands when along had come the Vogt Brothers who had demanded the job for themselves. The episode was typical of the gangster methods of business that had sprung up all over the city.

"You have to hand it to this Erich," Koster grinned. "He's a natural fighter. How many were there Erich?"

"Fourteen," he said complacently. He perched on the arm of Pat's chair and held her close. "I softened 'em up for you."

Lenz snickered. "By the time we arrived they were all worn out chasing your husband."

Pat nodded with mock cynicism. "I begin to understand. Some little boy was there first and got the job so you three bullies jumped on him and beat him up." But her smile faded as Erich and Lenz left for the workshop. "And all that — fighting, danger — for one hundred marks."

Koster brushed away her remark with some table crumbs. "The easiest money we ever earned. It's been a slow summer — "

"But what do *I* give?" she demanded piteously, "What can I ever give?"

He covered her hands with his. "Just being here, that's what. Where you walk, we walk beside you." He rose to catch up with the others. "Just remember that, Pat. Always."

Walking along the winding street the three men found themselves in a vicious gale. But necessity helped them beat it back. There was work to be done at the shop and every penny counted these days.

They halted however, as they came abreast of a warehouse where a speaker was addressing a large crowd.

"Winter is coming again," he was thundering, "and for many long years now there has been a simple, bitter cry from the German people. 'Give us food; give us shelter; give us work.' And there is still no answer."

The episode was typical of the gangster methods of business.

"It's Dr. Becker," Lenz muttered and shame lanced through him that he was not standing there beside his old friend.

"But make no mistake about it," the speaker continued, "there is a madness abroad in the land. It is entering your home like a thief in the night, to steal away your honor and your liberty. It is tyranny born of the arrogance of ignorance and hysteria — a tyranny so ghastly that it will compel you eventually to surrender all your rights as human beings."

Suddenly there was the sinister sound of marching feet and from around the corner there came a group of some three hundred semi-uniformed men. A hush fell and time seemed to stop. Then, faltering once, the speaker went on. A concerted cry went up. The marchers were pushing their way through the mob. Then, plainly seen, a uniformed hand hurled a rock. It glanced off the brow of the speaker. Blood began to trickle down his face.

Erich heard a smothered oath and the next second Lenz had broken away and plunged into the mass of milling rioters. From the center of the crowd Becker made a gesture to his followers. Lenz was in their midst as they dashed to the warehouse and locked the door.

Koster and Erich looked at each other, stunned. It had all happened in the twinkling of an eye. To reach Lenz now was impossible. The hoodlums were solidly blocking the way before the warehouse door. They would have to bide their time.

Leadenly, Erich returned home and made of his face a blank as Pat met him in the front hall. She clung to him. "Oh darling I was afraid you had been blown away. Say it Erich, say it."

With his heart heavy he spoke the words like a ritual. "I thank God for you Pat. I thank God for you every second."

The phone rang. It was Doctor Jaffe. "How did she stand the trip?" Erich repeated after him in amazement? "What trip?"

"The trip to the sanitarium. She knew she was supposed to go a week ago. If you want to keep that girl alive, you send her off right away, Herr Lohkamp. Don't forget. Right away."

Clammy with fear Erich faced Pat. "You'll have to leave tomorrow Pat. You should have told me."

She denied this feverishly. "No, no. I stole a week anyway. And they can't take it back. It's mine to keep for ever." She kissed him twice, lightly. "Erich please — say it again."

His lips were dry and hot. Then with anguish ripping his voice, he said it over and over. "Thank God for you. Thank God for you, Pat."

(Lenz is virtually a prisoner in the warehouse and now, Pat must leave for the sanitarium. Will she come back to Erich? Can he ever find happiness again with the three he loves? Read tomorrow's exciting instalment.)

When You Reach FORTY

SOME American doctors who recently visited Dr. Serge Voronof and his monkey farm, returned without being seriously impressed by the successes claimed by the Lord High Rejuvenator.

One of them has expressed himself in an American medical journal as doubtful about the whole gland-grafting business, and states his opinion that better rejuvenation may be got by proper enjoyment of the "two cheapest things you can get to-day"—sun and air.

There is commonsense in what he says, and it seems a pity that our people cannot all take greater advantage of those two blessed and plentful commodities. We know that as we approach the middle of life certain changes take place in our bodies, and if we wish to prolong life, under pleasant conditions and to its full span, it is wise for every man and woman on reaching forty to retrench and prepare the ground.

At forty life should be taken more easily, and there should be a general slowing down of the engine to ease the works and avoid unnecessary strain. Owing to the deposition of lime salts and uric crystals in our tissues in the middle and later stages of life, the tissues lose some of their elasticity, and the whole system stands severe strain less readily. It is largely because of this increased strain on rigidity that we get the mysterious collapses of the middle-aged on the golf course, swimming bath, and cycling tour.

It is not uncommon on a holiday for father (and mother too!) who so often talk about the lax ways of youth that "isn't a patch on its elders," to show them how to do it. And there are times when this natural parental yearning leads to trouble.

A Real Danger

As we reach forty and over the less strenuous exercise the better. If one is an athlete and has always kept training up it is all very well, though even then there should be wise moderation. But for the sedentary man who spends his life in the office there is real danger after forty if he indulges in sporadic bursts of strain now and then. The fact is, physical fitness clubs and things of that sort are often mere death traps for the elders and are better avoided.

There is real sense in telling us that the best rejuvenators are sun and air, which we can take at our ease and leisure and ad lib, and we should all of us get our full money's worth whenever we can.

As regards the sun, one must not play the fool with the god of light and it is better to seek the shade when the rays are fierce than bake and boil up to the point of sunstroke —a state of things that always lies in wait for the middle-aged, office-shade man who is "getting a corporation" and a bit thin on the top. Unless he protects his head and spine, his medulla, that is just under his skull at the back, being most sensitive to heat rays, is generally the first organ to become affected.

Sun-bathing is a grand tonic—in reason, gradually done and with proper precautions; though too much insolation leads to later lassitude and depression.

A Simple Matter

As for the air, everyone should this summer try and adapt his lungs to greater aerial capacity. It is quite simple, and there is no need to bother about silly breathing exercises which were so fashionable a few years ago, so over-rated, and often merely exhausting. Instead, take a general, almost unconscious full inspiration while resting, walking, lying abed. As you sit in the garden or walk to business just notice now and then how you are breathing, then very easily make the inspirations, and expirations just a little deeper. That is all. Not gasps and strong gulps as with the "deep-breathing" tricks, but simply slight prolongation, slowing and deepening of the act of respiration.

There is one simple way in which we can all do a little in the way of rejuvenation. The trick lies in taking full advantage of those two cheap things, sun and air.

Doctor.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE —

Without Calomel — And You'll Jump Out of Bed Full of Vim and Vigor.

The liver should pour out two pints of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You get constipated. Your whole system is poisoned and you feel sour, sunk and the world looks punk.

Laxatives are only makeshifts. A mere bowel movement doesn't get at the cause. It takes those famous Carter's Little Liver Pills to get these two pints of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up". Harmless, gentle, yet amazing in making bile flow freely. Look for the name Carter's Little Liver Pills on the red package. Refuse anything else.

COUNT THE "TELEGRAPHS" EVERYWHERE

CANADIAN PACIFIC
STEAMSHIPS - HOTELS - RAILWAYS - EXPRESS

BERTHING PLANS FOR 1939 ARE OPEN
MAKE BOOKINGS EARLY — to secure accommodation desired

TO CANADA, UNITED STATES and EUROPE
via Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA .....7.00 a.m., Fri., Sept. 2.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN via Honolulu .....Noon, Fri., Sept. 16.
EMPRESS OF ASIA .....6.00 a.m., Fri., Sept. 30.
EMPRESS OF CANADA via Honolulu .....Noon, Fri., Oct. 14.

Air-conditioned equipment on C.P.R. Trans-Continental Trains.
Frequent Canadian Pacific Atlantic sailings to European Ports.

TO MANILA

EMPRESS OF JAPAN .....Fri., Sept. 9.

Union Building — Canadian Pacific — Telephone 20752

BARBER-WILHELMSEN LINE

Monthly Service to
BOSTON AND NEW YORK
via LOS ANGELES & PANAMA CANAL PORTS

also taking cargo on through Bills of Lading for West Indies ports, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Rio Grande do Sol Buenos Aires, South America.

NEXT SAILING:—

M.V. "TAI YIN"

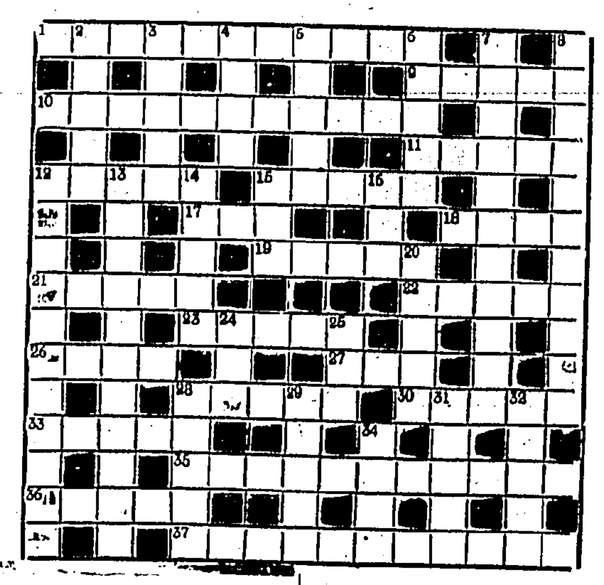
18th September.

DODWELL & CO., LTD.

Agents.

Hongkong Bank Bldg. — Telephone 28021.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

1 Mean as a man boxing (11).
9 Town of France (5).
10 With hesitation changing in a fly (11).
11 The man to fish in a way (5).
12 Famous sculler (5).
15 Moors may be at his disposal (5).
17 This dish contains this (3).
18 Book of the O.T. (4).
19 A mixed dream (5).
21 This young fellow used not necessarily to be a rogue (5).
22 Got up (5).
23 Colouring matter often mixed with sea-water (5).
26 Oriental potentate (4).
27 Was victorious but is now suffering a reverse (3).
28 Behead this fish and it becomes a girl (5).
30 Like a peer soon (5).
33 A product of tar (5).
35 A bird not an organ pipe (11).
36 Used by cowboys (5).
37 In the depths of the country seedlings planted out must be this in a drought (two words—4, 7).

DOWN

2 S. American quadruped (5).
3 Fabulous creature (5).
4 Make a shape (4).
5 The drug that upset the girls? (5).
6 In any newspaper she would not be an uninteresting advertisement (5).
7 This makes a stag rub more (11).
8 Without pause (11).
12 Unfortunately many people not in business are guilty of this sort of office work (11).
13 Tit for tat (11).
14 Where pyres were made? (5).
15 P.S. about this are lawyers work perhaps (3).
16 Plant that would certainly be found in 9 across (3).
20 This part of the bag-pipes is not idle always (5).
24 One of the deer family (3).
25 Scottish loch (3).
28 Animal that occurs in the title of a play by Shakespeare (5).
29 This movement sometimes becomes a bore (5).
31 "Time travels in divers paces with divers persons. I'll tell you who time——s withal" ("As You Like It") (5).
32 Foreign town that is either subject or superior in England (5).
34 This pet is generally a protection (4).

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

NEWS OF THE DAY IN PICTURES FROM FAR AND NEAR

Hongkong Telegraph PHOTONEWS

HAPPENINGS AS SEEN BY THE CAMERA'S EYE

TWO TERRIBLE YEARS

ON July 17, 1936, a brief message sent from Madrid told the world of a "military revolt in Spanish Morocco."

From that day war has raged in Spain, more than half a million men, women and children have been killed and at least the same number wounded. Damage to property is so high that it cannot be estimated.

Two million Spaniards, who two years ago were leading a normal civilian life, are now refugees, more than a 100,000 of them in foreign countries.

General Franco, rebel leader, with Moors (like those on the left), Italians and Germans, now controls two-thirds of the Spanish mainland, African possessions, and islands, except Minorca.

Here is a picture-news summary of those two terrible years.

Barricades, mostly manned by civilians, gave assurance that loyalist Spain was prepared to give its life in defence of democracy.

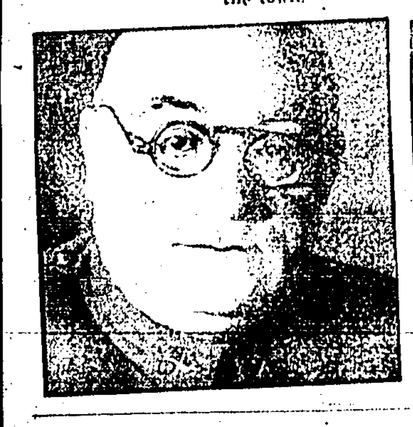
Air raids, with their appalling death roll, horrified the world. Now they are regarded as inevitable as the struggle continues.

Then came the defence and fall of Irun; their casualty lists lengthened when the rebels entered the town.

France threw open her frontier to the women and children who managed to escape the carnage.

Bombs fell from planes manned by foreign "volunteers." Here, in Barcelona, 38 were killed by one bomb.

Reminiscent of the Great War; opposing forces engaged in trench warfare, each yard lost or gained with human lives.



To General Miaja (left) fell the task of defending Madrid. He reorganised the army and—

—enlisted the help of all citizens. Many women took their place in the firing line, while—

—others worked in munition factories to supply the new army with much-needed guns and shells.

At sea, Government warships fought Fascist vessels. This picture was taken as the submarine B6 sank off Ferrol, a victim of the rebel ship Velasco.

And to-day, with the Spanish conflict in its third year, people are still being killed in hundreds.

Despite notes of protest, British ships are still being bombed and sunk by Franco planes with loss of British lives. While the tragedy of Spain goes on——

the world remembers the victims of two terrible years.

P & O-BRITISH INDIA (APCAR) AND EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN LINES

(Companies Incorporated in England.)

Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading for STRAITS, JAVA & BURMA, CEYLON, INDIA, IRANIAN GULF, MAURITIUS, E. & S. AFRICA, AUSTRALASIA, INCLUDING NEW ZEALAND AND QUEENSLAND PORTS, RED SEA, EGYPT, EUROPE, ETC.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL FORTNIGHTLY DIRECT ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS
(Under Contract with H.M. Government.)

All vessels may call at any ports on or off the route,—and the route and all sailings are subject to change or deviation with or without notice.

Steamers	Tons	From H'Kong about	Destination
CORFU	14,500	3rd Sept. Noon.	Marseilles & London.
†*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Sept.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.
CHITRAL	17,000	17th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
*BEHAR	6,000	24th Sept.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam & A'werp.
CARTHAGE	14,500	1st Oct.	Marseilles & London.
†*SOUDAN	6,000	8th Oct.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam & A'werp.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	15th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
RANCHI	17,000	29th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
†*BURDWAN	6,000	5th Nov.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.

* Cargo only † Calls Casablanca All vessels may call at Malta

BRITISH INDIA APCAR SAILINGS (SOUTH.)

TILAWA	10,000	10th Sept.	S'pore, Port Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta.
SANTHIA	8,000	24th Sept.	DO.
TALMA	10,000	8th Oct.	DO.
SIRDHANA	8,000	22nd Oct.	DO.
SHIRALA	8,000	5th Nov.	DO.

B.I. Apcar Line Steamers have excellent accommodation for 1st & 2nd class passengers

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (SOUTH.)

TANDA	7,000	2nd Sept., 11 a.m.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane,
NANKIN	7,000	1st Oct.	Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
NELLORE	7,000	4th Nov.	

Regular monthly sailings from H'kong to Shanghai & Japan & H'kong to Australia. Hong Kong to Sydney—19 days.

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN.

SANTHIA	8,000	31st Aug., 10 a.m.	Japan.
CARTHAGE	14,500	1st Sept. Noon.	Shanghai & Japan.
*SOUDAN	6,000	3rd Sept. 6 a.m.	Shanghai & Japan.
NANKIN	7,000	4th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
TALMA	10,000	14th Sept.	Japan.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	15th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
SIRDHANA	8,000	28th Sept.	Japan.
RANCHI	17,000	29th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.

* Cargo only.

All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice, parcels measuring not more than 8 c.ft. will be received at the Company's Office up to noon on the day previous to sailing.

For Passage Rates, Handbooks, Freight, etc., apply

P. & O. B'ding, Connaught R.C. MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO. Agents Phone 1772

BANKING CORPORATION

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued and Fully Paid-up $20,000,000
Reserve Funds:—
Sterling ..... £ 6,500,000
Hongkong Currency Reserve $10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:—
T. E. Pearce, Esq., Chairman.
Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Deputy Chairman.
J. K. Bousfield, Esq. W. H. Lock, Esq.,
A. H. Compton, Esq. G. Miskin, Esq.
Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell K. S. Morrison, Esq.
M. T. Johnson Esq. Hon. Mr. A. L. Shields
Sir Vandeleur M. Grayburn,
CHIEF MANAGER.

BRANCHES:—

AMOY	LONDON
BANGKOK	LYONS
BATAVIA	MALACCA
BOMBAY	MANILA
CALCUTTA	MUAR (JOHORE)
CANTON	MUKDEN
CHEFOO	NEW YORK
COLOMBO	PEIPING
DAIREN	PENANG
FOOCHOW	RANGOON
HAIPHONG	SAIGON
HAMBURG	SAN FRANCISCO
HANKOW	SHANGHAI
HARBIN	SINGAPORE
HONGKEW	SOURABAYA
ILOILO	SUNGEI PATANI
IPOH	SWATOW
JOHORE	TIENTSIN
KOBE	TOKYO
KOWLOON	TSINGTAO
KUALA LUMPUR	YOKOHAMA

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and other currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

ALSO up to date SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES in various sizes TO LET.

Hongkong, 24th August 1938.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

The Business of the above Bank is conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. Rules may be obtained on application.

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
V. M. GRAYBURN, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 24th August 1938.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853
HEAD OFFICE:—LONDON.
38 Bishopsgate, E.C.1.

Paid-up Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,000,000

MANCHESTER BRANCH:
71 Mosley St., Manchester.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES:

Alor Star	Ipoh	Saigon
Amritsar	Ipoh	Semarang
Bangkok	Karachi	Seremban
Batavia	Klang	Shanghai
Bombay	Kobe	Singapore
Calcutta	Kuala Lumpur	Sitiawan
Canton	Kuching	Sourabaya
Cawnpore	Madras	Taiping
Cebu	Manila	Tientsin
Colombo	Medan	Tongkah (Bhuket)
Delhi	New York	Tsingtao
Haiphong	Peiping (Peking)	Yokohama
Hamburg	Penang	
Hankow	Rangoon	
Harbin		
Hongkong		

Foreign Exchange and General Banking business transacted.
Current Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.
The Bank's Head Office in London undertakes Executor & Trustee business, and claims recovery of British Income Tax overpaid, on terms which may be ascertained at any of its Agencies & Branches.

R. A. CAMIDGE, Manager.

Hongkong, 29th June, 1938.

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital ..... $ 5,598,000.00
Reserve and Undivided Profits ..... $ 2,776,726.70

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.
10, Des Voeux Road, Central.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:—
Sir Shouson Chow, Chairman.
Li Koon Chun, Esq. Fung Ping Wah, Esq.
P. K. Kwok, Esq. Li Lan-Sang, Esq.
Wong Yun Tong, Esq. Wong Chu Son, Esq.
Chang Chung Shek, Esq. Kan Ying Po, Esq.
KAN TONG PO, Esq., Chief Manager.
LI TSE FONG, Esq., Manager.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:

Amoy	Melbourne	Shanghai
Batavia	Nagasaki	Singapore
Bombay	New York	Sourabaya
Calcutta	Osaka	Swatow
Canton	Paris	Sydney
Haiphong	Peiping	Taihoku
Hankow	Penang	Tientsin
Honolulu	Rangoon	Tokyo
Kobe	Saigon	Vancouver
Kowloon	San Francisco	Yokohama
London	Seattle	
Manila	Semarang	

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.
Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and Foreign Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.
Safe Deposit Boxes To Let.

KAN TONG PO, Manager.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Head Office:—15, Gracechurch Street, London, E.C.3.

Authorised Capital £3,000,000
Subscribed Capital 1,600,000
Paid-up Capital 1,050,000
Reserve Fund and Rest 1,247,630

BANKERS:
The Bank of England & Midland Bank, Ltd.

BRANCHES:—

Bangkok	Ipoh	Madras
Bombay	Kuantan	New York
Calcutta	Kandy	Penang
Colombo	Karachi	Rangoon
Delhi	Kota Bharu	Shanghai
Galle	Kuala Lipis	Simla
Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur	Singapore
Howrah	Kuala Trengganu	

HONGKONG BRANCH.
Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
TRUSTEE AND EXECUTORSHIP UNDERTAKEN.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at Rates that may be ascertained on application.

D. BENSON, Manager.

The P. & O. Banking Corporation, Ltd.

(Incorporated in England, 1920).

Authorised Capital £5,000,000
Subscribed and Paid-up £2,504,160
Reserve Fund ..... £ 100,000

HEAD OFFICE:
117-122, Leadenhall Street, London, E.C.3.
WEST END BRANCH:
14-16, Cockspur Street, London, S.W.1.
BRANCHES:—Bombay, Calcutta, Calicut, Coimbatore, Colombo, Hongkong, Madras, Shanghai, Singapore.
Agencies:—In all the principal towns of the world.
General Exchange and Banking business transacted. Loans and overdrafts granted on approved security. Current and Fixed Deposit accounts opened.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS IN LOCAL CURRENCY:—Interest allowed at rates which may be obtained on application.
STERLING SAVINGS ACCOUNTS:—Interest allowed at rates which may be obtained on application.
TRAVELLERS' LETTERS OF CREDIT, TRAVELLERS' CHEQUES AND PASSENGER LETTERS OF CREDIT (for use on board P. & O. and B. I. Steamers and at Ports of Call) are issued at current rate of exchange and free of commission.
AMERICAN EXPRESS TRAVELLERS' CHEQUES sold and cashed.
British Income Tax Recovered.
Executorships and Trusteeships undertaken.

G. H. BELL, Manager.

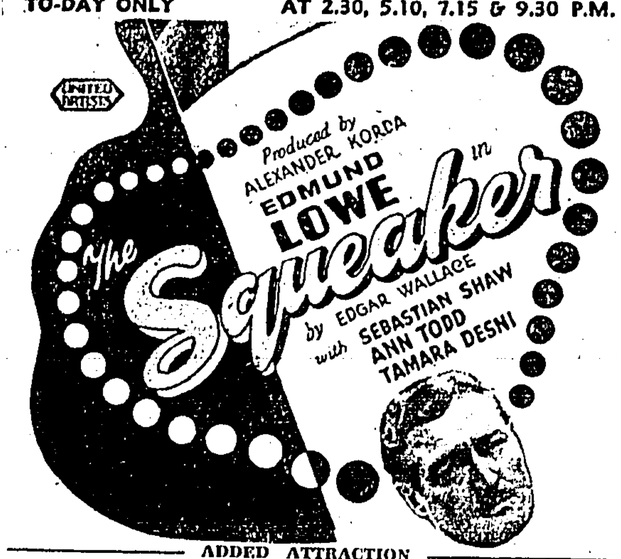
Hongkong, 26th March 1938.

"TELEGRAPH" WAR MAP

A specially prepared map of the Northern War Zone in China. 15½ by 11 inches, printed on art paper.

Price 20 cents Postage extra.

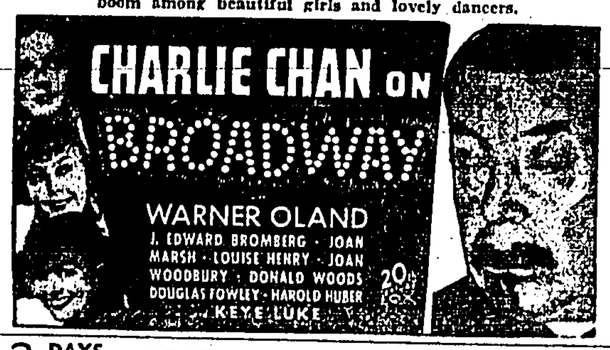
KING'S
AIR-CONDITIONED THEATRE
TO-DAY ONLY AT 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.30 P.M.



ADDED ATTRACTION
The best of all the DISNEY CARTOONS for the past FIVE YEARS. Every one an Academy Award Winner.
"FLOWERS & TREES" - COUNTRY COUSINS" - "TORTOISE AND THE HARE" - "3 ORPHAN KITTENS" - "3 LITTLE PIGS"
ALL IN TECHNICOLOUR

TO-MORROW Columbia JOE E. BROWN - LYDA ROBERTI in "WIDE OPEN FACES"

4 SHOWS DAILY 2.30-5.15 7.15-9.30
TAKE ANY TRAM OR HAPPY VALLEY BUS
ORIENTAL THEATRE
FLEMING ROAD WANCHAI TEL. 28473
2 DAYS ONLY TO-DAY • TO-MORROW
THE GREAT WHITE WAY GIVES CHAN
HIS GREATEST ADVENTURE . . . CANDID-CAMERA CASE!
Charlie Chan invades the gay night clubs where flashlights boom among beautiful girls and lovely dancers.



2 DAYS ONLY FRIDAY and SATURDAY
THE MOST GLORIOUS LOVE STORY EVER WRITTEN!
in the new perfected Technicolour.
"RAMONA" LORETTA YOUNG DON AMECHE and 1000 others.
MATINEES: 20c.-30c. • EVENINGS: 20c.-30c.-50c.-70c.

4 SHOWS DAILY 2.30 - 5.20 7.20 - 9.30
MAJESTIC THEATRE
NATHAN ROAD KOWLOON TEL. 57222
MATINEES: 20c.-30c. • EVENINGS: 20c.-30c.-50c.-70c.
• TO-DAY & TO-MORROW •
LOVE . . . THAT'S FRANK! . . . THAT'S HONEST! . . . THAT'S DARING! . . . THAT'S SENSATIONAL!

• FRIDAY, ONE DAY ONLY! •
RETURN SHOWING BY SPECIAL REQUEST!
LUISE RAINER SPENCER TRACY in "BIG CITY"
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Sensational Drama!

18 GAMBLERS CAUGHT

Following a raid on a house in Shamshuipo last night, 15 men appeared before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy to-day on gambling charges. One of them, Chan Luk, 64, was charged with keeping a gaming house and was fined $60. He was on $75 bail.

The remaining 14 men were fined $3 each for gambling. Three others who were absent had their bail of $5 each estreated. Over $10 in table money was given to the Poor Box.

Det.-Sergeant J. Forrest prosecuted.

FIGHTING TO SAVE LUNGHAI RAILWAY

Japanese Unable To Cross Strongly Guarded River

Chengchow, Aug. 31.

Following a counter-offensive, Chinese forces are surrounding the Japanese at Menghsien, on the north bank of the Yellow River in northern Honan. Menghsien was lost to the Japanese on August 28.

Yesterday, a detachment of Japanese troops from Chungyichen, south of Tsinyang, attempted to move to Menghsien, but was intercepted by Chinese units.

With their main forces concentrated along the Tsiyang-Menghsien line, the Japanese have made repeated attempts to cross the Yellow River in order to menace the western section of the Lunghai Railway, but without avail.

Various strategic points along the north bank of the Yellow River still remain in Chinese control. Crack Chinese troops have been rushed there to strengthen the defences.

A lone Japanese plane reconnoitred over the Paihe and Tiehsia crossings yesterday. Two bombs were released at Paihe.—*Central News.*

Heavy Fine For Narcotic Trafficker

Sentence of nine months' hard labour and a fine of $500 or in default a further three months' imprisonment was imposed by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when Kwan Wing pleaded guilty to possession of 966 heroin pills in a divan at 59 Woosung Street.

Revenue Officer E. T. Warden prosecuted.

A charge against Chung Ping and Tse Ping of possession of 190 pills was withdrawn by the prosecution.

In discharging defendants, Mr. Macfadyen said that he did not know whether they were cheating their customers or not, but the report of the Government Analyst showed no heroin in the pills.

TYPHOON HITS HAINAN ISLAND

More than 110 vessels were sunk and 230 people drowned when a typhoon swept over Hoihow, Pochin, Chinglankong, Sunyingkong, and other ports in Hainan Island on August 26, according to belated Chinese messages received here from Hainan. The total number of houses destroyed is not yet ascertained, but the loss of life is believed to be very heavy.

Thanks to a typhoon warning by the Chinese Maritime Customs in Hoihow, the major port of Hainan lost only three lives and three junks. Sunyingkong suffered the greatest losses—about a hundred people and 40 fishing junks.

Pity The Poor Public School Boy

"There is no greater example of snobbishness than the claim that the Battle of Waterloo was won on the playing fields of Eton," said Dr. A. J. Cronin, the novelist, at Steyning, Sussex.

"There is always the danger of well-meaning parents struggling and striving to maintain their children at public schools, educating them in an atmosphere where they are ever striving to emulate their more opulent fellows.

"They are acquiring an expensive outlook, and then, being thrust on a world with tastes and ambitions far above their financial resources, compete for jobs with their more fortunately placed colleagues."

STOP PRESS

"MYSTERY" FORCE OPERATES

Hankow, Aug. 31.

A special military report published here to-day says a "mysterious group of Chinese troops" yesterday cut the Hofei-Liuan highway behind the Japanese advance and destroyed all the bridges.

It adds that there is severe fighting in the eastern suburbs of Hwoshan.

Three Japanese brigades are attacking Matouchen, on the south bank of the Yangtse, opposite Wuhsueh.—*United Press.*

TWO CASES OF CHOLERA

The cholera incidence continues to decrease in Hongkong, the past 24 hours producing but two new cases, and bringing the year's total to 380. New dysentery cases during yesterday numbered four, making a total of 640, while there were two cases of diphtheria and one of measles.

COUNCIL MEETS AT 3 P.M.

It was announced this afternoon that the meeting of the Legislative Council will be held at 3 p.m. and not 2.30 p.m. as originally notified.

PRESS URGES PLAIN SPEAKING

In Fairness To All Concerned

London, Aug. 30.

The London newspapers deal at some length with the Cabinet meeting to-day.

The Evening News: "The situation in Czecho-Slovakia at the moment is rather a matter of emotions than of concrete events. Nothing extraordinary has so far been said."

The Star: "We in England know that we think more than we say. That is, however, not always understood in other countries.

"Since 1914, the greater part of the German people has always believed that if we had consistently made our position clear, the World War would never have broken out. To-day, it is not fair either to Germany or ourselves to leave even a possibility of a misunderstanding. There is a deep difference between a casual expression of opinion and a clear definition of our position."—*Trans-Ocean.*

Portugese Girl In Court On Fraud Charges

Elfreda Souza, a 17-year-old Portuguese girl, appeared on remand before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy to-day, charged with having obtained credit to the value of $51.75 by fraud.

It is understood that additional charges may be preferred.

Souza was remanded for 24 hours, on bail of $600, in police custody to enable her to find sureties. Hearing of the case was provisionally fixed for September 7 at 3.30 p.m. It was given to understand that the case will be one for committal to the Criminal Sessions.

Mr. C. A. Sutherton Russ represented Souza.

STOCK EXCHANGE TRADING DULL

London, Aug. 30.

Uncertainty pending a clarification of the European situation restricted trading on the London Stock Exchange to-day.

After an earlier period of brightness the general list eased, though some sections later recovered part of their losses.

On the Foreign Exchange Continental buying on political fears, together with the commercial demand, caused the U.S. dollar to appreciate to 4.8587 in terms of sterling, compared with 4.8706 yesterday.

International political fears also accentuated the demand for gold and an estimate of £2,000,000 worth changed hands during the day, varying in prices up to £7 3s. 2½d. per ounce.—*Reuter Special.*

JUST OPENED!
A NEW AND FASCINATING RANGE OF—
LINGERIE, LINENS
AND DAINTY HANDKERCHIEFS

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI LACE CO.
50, QUEEN'S RD. C.

THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE SELECTION IN HONGKONG AT SPECIALLY FAVOURABLE PRICES

CALL AND INSPECT THESE BEAUTIFUL GOODS EARLY

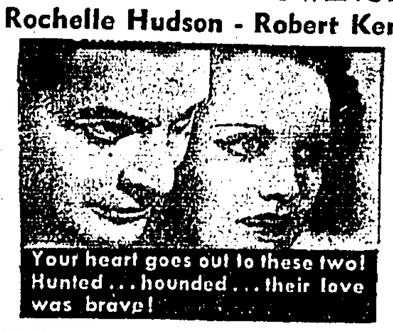
ALHAMBRA
NATHAN RD. KOWLOON. DAILY AT 2.30-5.15-7.20-9.30 TEL. 51111
• FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY •
WATCH HIM SMASH HIS WAY TO STARDOM!
"THE KID COMES BACK"
with WAYNE MORRIS

Directed by B. Reeves Eason • Screen Play by George Bricker • A WARNER BROS. PICTURE
TO-MORROW: RETURN ENGAGEMENT OF "SABLE CICADA"

QUEENS
DAILY AT 2.30-5.15-7.20-9.30 TEL. 31455
• TO-DAY, FOR ONE DAY ONLY •
HE MADE THE WOMEN HE WANTED!
What diabolical snare placed the most tempting beauties of the day at his unscrupulous command?

LIONEL ATWILL • FAY WRAY • GLENDA FARRELL • FRANK McHUGH
TO-MORROW
THE MOST THRILLING, BREATH-TAKING ADVENTURE
"UNDERSEA KINGDOM"
with RAY "CRASH" CORRIGAN

DAILY AT 2.30 5.20 7.20 9.20
STAR
HANKOW ROAD KOWLOON TEL. 57795
• FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY •
Rochelle Hudson - Robert Kent - Ed. J. Bromberg in
"THAT I MAY LIVE"
A 20th C. Fox Picture



TO-MORROW: Eddie Cantor in "KID FROM SPAIN"

CENTRAL
DAILY AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M.
PRICES: 35 cts. - 45 cts. - 55 cts.
QUEEN'S RD. CENTRAL: CAR PARK — JERVOIS STREET
Take Bus No. 4 or 5 going west, 3 min. from stop opposite Queen's
FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY

SEA CAPTAIN INJURED BOARDING BUS

Attempting to board a bus at the Star Ferry, Connaught Road Central, yesterday, Capt. Crosthwaith, of the steamer Forafric, fell heavily. He was taken to the French Hospital.

A Chinese, Chan Ching-chuen, 16, fell when he tried to alight from a moving motor bus in Taipo Road yesterday. He was treated at Kowloon Hospital.

Knocked down by a motor car driven by Mr. J. H. Fox at Nullah Road, Wong Kam-hoi, a seven-year-old boy, was taken to the Kowloon Hospital with a fractured skull.

The theft of a canvas motor car cover, worth $30, from his car parked outside his residence in Conduit Road yesterday, has been reported to the police by Mr. S. M. Churn.

Printed and Published for the Proprietors by FREDERICK PERCY FRANKLIN, at 1 and 3, Wyndham Street in the City of Victoria, Hongkong.